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THE WEATHER.

BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy; rain by night; light easterly winds, changing to fresh southerly. For San Francisco and vicinity: Rain; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

Sunrise, 6:50; sunset, 5:23; moon sets, 6:04 p. m.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 59 deg.; minimum, 43 deg. Wind 5 a. m., northeast; velocity, 1 mile; 5 p. m., southwest; velocity, 8 miles. At midnight the temperature was 49 deg.; clear.

TODAY—At 2 a. m. the temperature was 48 deg.; clear.

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THE CITY. Seeds of peculiar grass from the Sahara Desert to be planted at various points in Southern California, and their success may mean the creation of a big industry....John Wigmore, Sr., dies at a rest retreat in East Los Angeles....Leaky gasoline pipe the origin of a fire which causes loss of $15,000 and destruction of two butter-making plants....J. C. Stubbs, traffic director for the Harriman lines, comes to Los Angeles in search of health and talks interestingly of railroad and other things....Deputies of Prohibitor got on wrong paths and endeavor to keep each other, but their scrub is too much for a court, and decision is deferred....Confused by bell, Mrs. Emma Upton steps in front of moving Pasadena car, and is killed. Members of I.O.O.F. may invite Sovereign Grand Lodge of that order to meet in Los Angeles....Members of the Loyal Legion guests at The Bivouac. Witness in case against alleged Mexican conspirator requests protection of the court....Annual report of the Union Oil Company makes wonderful showing of prosperity for that corporation....City Prosecutor begins campaign to prohibit lurid theatrical posters....Mother fights policeman who seeks to prevent her sons going into improper places....Jealousy causes Italian to shoot a fellow-countryman to death....Brooklyn-avenue conductor who was killed in Macy-street collision blamed for the accident....Public utilities companies file statements of receipts with City Clerk....Many sites for proposed new City Jail tendered to the City Council....Defendants in Ocean Park election fraud cases plead not guilty....Alleged bucket-shop owner fails to secure injunction to stop police raids.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Skull of Riverside man crushed by explosion....Three boosting bodies join in banquet at Monrovia....Contest in Long Beach between stockholders and depositors for receivership of Citizens' Savings Bank....Woman in Santa Ana, charged with burglary, won't tell her name....Big oil blaze at Summerland. Shake-up likely in San Bernardino police force....Redlands to have wireless telegraph station....Many guests in Pasadena hotels.

PACIFIC SLOPE. President Ripley of the Santa Fé declares that a statement in President Roosevelt's letter is absolutely false....Ruef pleads not guilty to each of fourteen indictments in connection with Parkside trolley franchise....Depositors in California Bank sue directors to recover $250,000, alleging embezzlement by president. Terms of emigration agreement from Japan to Hawaii admit families of Japs there and who have been there. Heney tries to show that Hall showed favoritism toward big cattle and lumber company....New Jap Consul-General at New York arrives in San Francisco, and denies hostile feeling in Japan toward America....English girl reaches San Francisco, asks court to remove her stepfather as guardian, and demands her estate....German steamer reaches San Francisco, after hard voyage, during which crew fought fire in coal bunkers for three weeks. Japanese importers sue United States for $1,500,000 paid as duty on sake. President of Sutter Creek state Bank denies institution has been closed. Harry Orchard must stand trial for murder of ex-Gov. Steunenberg, to which he has confessed, and plea of not guilty stands....Victoria Chinese expect news of Dowager-Empress's abdication today or in near future.

GENERAL EASTERN. President sends long special message to Congress and makes a number of recommendations....Gov. Hughes of New York makes speech, in which he praises President Roosevelt....President prepares personal letter declaring that Fairbanks, Cannon and Knox have used Federal appointments for political gain....Thaw jury is locked up for the night, and it is rumored that it is hopelessly divided, eight to four. Senator Tillman introduces resolution aimed at western railroads holding land on government grants.

BIG STICK.

PRESIDENT HURLS BOMB INTO CONGRESS.

Members of Both Houses Promptly Sit Up and Take Notice.

Prediction Is Made That Republican Leaders in National Lawmaking Body Will Be Compelled to Follow Chief Executive's Advice or Jeopardize Party's Success at Polls in November.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The general opinion seems to be that the President, by his message today, hurled a bombshell into the midst of an apathetic Congress.

From this time on they predict the Republican leaders of Congress will be compelled to follow the President or jeopardize the success of their party at the polls next fall. The Democrats were particularly elated over the situation thus created.

As the reading of the message proceeded in the Senate, many of the Senators looked around the chamber and exchanged smiles. Mr. Tillman seemed especially pleased with the document. Senator La Follette paid careful attention to the reading and frequently his countenance indicated especial interest. Senators Cullom, Beveridge, McCumber, Knox, Gallinger, Nelson, Elkins, Hemmenway and Burrows, on the Republican side, and Culberson, Teller, Davis, Bankhead and Overman, among the Democrats, were especially attentive to the document.

Upon the conclusion of the reading of the message Senator Davis of Arkansas (Dem.) was promptly upon his feet and moved that 10,000 copies of the message be printed as a public document, saying it was fine democratic doctrine.

The motion was agreed to and without further comment the message was referred to the Committee on Interstate Commerce.

CHEERED IN HOUSE.

Cheers and long-continued handclapping greeted the reading of the President's message in the House of Representatives. No message to any recent Congress has so stirred the members to enthusiastic demonstrations of approval as this one.

Democrats led in the frequent interruptions in the reading of the message, which was punctuated by applause throughout. Denunciation of apologists for successful dishonesty, who were scored heavily by the President, defense of the Department of Justice, demand for labor legislation, the condemnation of judges who truckle to the mob, the attack upon the Standard Oil Company and the predictions of the President for the future of the nation were all wildly applauded by the House.

As soon as the reading of the message had been concluded groups of members began to discuss the message, which they regarded as one of the most powerful documents ever sent to Congress upon any subject.

BIG STICK FALLS.

"We seek to control law-defying wealth, in the first place, to prevent its doing dire evil to the republic, and in the next place to avoid the vindictive and dreadful radicalism which, if left uncontrolled, it is certain in the end to arouse.

"Sweeping attacks upon all property, upon all men of means, without regard to whether they do well or ill, would sound the death knell of the republic, and such attacks become inevitable if decent citizens permit these rich men, whose lives are corrupt and evil, to domineer in swollen pride, unchecked and unhindered, over the destinies of this country."

Such is the declaration of the President made in his special message. The message covers many points, but the greatest part of it is devoted to a reply to those individuals and corporations who, "with envenomed bitterness," have attacked "the administration's policy of warring against successful dishonesty" by means of "huge advertisements sent broadcast throughout the papers of this country, from the Atlantic to the Pacific."

Published statements on behalf of the Standard Oil Company and the Santa Fé Railway Company are particularized in the message, the President asserting that both are "very ingenious and are untruthful in important particulars."

LEGISLATION RECOMMENDED.

In the way of legislation, the President recommends:

Enactment of a constitutional employers' liability law.

Act to compensate government employés injured in the discharge of their duties.

Similar law applicable to employés of the Panama Canal.

Action in connection with the abuse of injunctions in labor cases.

Granting of greater power to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

If possible, some action to prevent the grosser forms of gambling in securities and commodities.

AS TO INJUNCTIONS.

To his discussion of the injunction problem the President added:

"It is my purpose as soon as may be to submit some further recommendations in reference to our laws regulating labor conditions within the sphere of Federal authority. A very recent decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, rendered since this message was written, in the case of Adair vs. United States, seemingly of far-reaching import and of very serious probable consequences, has modified the previously entertained views on the powers of Congress in the premises to such a degree as to make necessary careful consideration of the opinions therein filed before it is possible definitely to decide in what way to call the matter to your attention."

TO CONGRESS.

TEXT OF MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT.

MANY SUBJECTS ARE DISCUSSED AT LENGTH.

Chief Executive Takes up for Consideration Recent Supreme Court Decisions on Acts Affecting Employees, and Talks of Attacks Upon Policies of Administration.

Following is the text of the message:

To the Senate and House of Representatives: The recent decision of the Supreme Court in regard to the Em-

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SOME OF THE GEMS IN PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

WE DO not seek to multiply the activities of government so as to bring about vexatious interference with liberty or to restrict legislative enterprise. We deprecate all unnecessary governmental action. But our individualism does not justify unbridled license. Its aims may demand, and frequently do demand, the intervention of government with necessary restrictions and regulations—not to curtail the liberty of the people, but to protect it.

Of fundamental importance also is respect for the rights of property. This is the security of thrift. It is of even greater importance to the poor than to the rich. The unlawful acquisition of property should be prevented or punished. The conditions underlying grants of public franchises should be enforced, but property lawfully acquired must be safeguarded.

Capital does not go into a State where reprisals are taken or vested interests are injured; it comes only where wise, conservative, safe treatment is assured, and it should be our policy to encourage and secure corporate rights and the best interests of stock and bond holders committed to our legal care.

In this country progress cannot be made save in harmony with our constitutional system. The Constitution in its entirety must be observed.

The Sherman Anti-Trust Act should be clarified and made more explicit. The law may be made stronger and more effective by being made more definite. Sweeping condemnations, of uncertain meaning, do not aid but rather embarrass the prosecution of those who are guilty of perilous practices.

I do not believe in arbitary action. We desire prosperity. We are anxious that there should be fair opportunities for all the workers of the land, for the extension of industry and commerce, and there should be the widest diffusion of blessings among a contented people.

To attain these ends the rule of the people must be made the rule of reason and every effort must be dominated by the sense of justice. We must be patient, impartial and thorough; investigation must precede action; good will must displace passion; and the sole motive must be to seek the truth and do the right.

RESULT OF GREAT CRIMINAL CASE HANGS IN BALANCE.

CAUSTIC.

RIPLEY MAKES TART REPLY.

SANTA FE'S PRESIDENT DISCUSSES MESSAGE.

Declares Absolutely False the Statement That He Was a Party to a Secret Rate on Oil in California and That It Is Attempt to Get Back at Him.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President E. P. Ripley of the Santa Fé Railroad this evening replied caustically to that part of President Roosevelt's message referring to his letter anent Judge Wellborn's decision against the railroad. Mr. Ripley was somewhat angered by the tone of the President's reference to him.

"The statement," said President Ripley, "that I was a party to a secret rate on oil in California is absolutely false. On the contrary, I emphatically and absolutely declined to grant it. In this case, as in other cases, the government has used information furnished by a discharged employé, making no attempt to verify the charges or ask for an explanation, but proceeding to make the charges public in ex-parte public documents.

"The California case referred to has nothing to do with interstate commerce or with the national government.

"Since the passage of the Hepburn bill, and, in fact, since the passage of the Elkins bill, this company has, in no case, intentionally violated the provisions of the law. My orders to all officers have been that the law should be strictly observed, and if there have been any infractions they have been technical and unintentional.

"I am not one of those who have attacked the actions of the administration. I have simply defended myself and my corporation from unjust attacks, as, I believe, will be amply shown in the final adjudication of the courts to which we have appealed.

"This is simply an attempt to get back at me for my letter upon the Wellborn decision."

"But how does Heney butt into this controversy?" was asked.

"Oh, I suppose he was either asked to furnish information, or volunteered it for self-advertisement. The matter was within the State, and was the State's business, and nothing to do with Roosevelt or Washington. Heney admits as much himself. In fact, some of my remarks got under their skin up at Washington, and they are trying to break even."

Mr. Ripley refused to be drawn into a general discussion of the subjects the message deals with, but he protested that the fundamental wrong of the government's position is that it proposes to limit earnings, while no provision is made for making good losses. He also criticises State Railroad Commissions in general, as composed of men entirely unfamiliar with railroad management, and often without experience in business. He denied that he had ever had anything to say against the President. The Chambers letter, he declared, was obtained from a former employé of the company, who had tried to have the company buy him off.

Central Figures

in Thaw trial. The victim, the prisoner, the beautiful young woman who was the cause of the tragedy as she appeared in a costume in which she first posed for White; the prosecuting attorney, leading counsel for the defendant, and the justice who presided.

WANT TROOPS TWO MONTHS.

Nevada Legislature Asks President to Retain Soldiers at Goldfield Until April 1.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CARSON CITY, Jan. 31.—The afternoon session of the Legislature nearly cleaned the files of intended legislation.

The bill introduced in the Senate to allow free transportation to State and county officers and others, was defeated in both houses.

The resolution asking the President to retain the troops in Goldfield until May 1 was amended to read April 1, and passed both houses. Many of the members consider the resolution ill-advised, as the President had stated in his telegram to the Governor that troops would be retained until Nevada could equip her own people to handle the situation.

Several local measures, such as the reimbursing of the Governor for personal moneys extended, the relief of Capt. Cox and the relief of clerks about the Legislature, passed both houses.

It was stated this morning that it will take six weeks to organize the Nevada police force. A resolution passed both houses to adjourn at 12 o'clock on Saturday.

THE NAVY.

BIG FLEET IS NOW IN STRAITS OF MAGELLAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PUNTA ARENAS (Chile) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Wireless dispatches which were received here tonight announce that the American battleship fleet has dropped anchor in Possession Bay, about thirty-five miles west of Dungeness Point, in the Straits of Magellan. The fleet is lying off Possession Point about five miles from Delgado Point, which marks the eastern entrance of the first narrows.

The fleet will spend the night there and will arrive at this point about noon tomorrow. The battleships doubled Dungeness Point and entered the Strait 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon, proceeding slowly.

Two colliers arrived yesterday with cargoes of fuel and an American transport entered Punta Arenas Bay at 6 o'clock this evening.

TO ARRIVE TODAY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PUNTA ARENAS (Straits of Magellan) 7 p.m., Jan. 31.—A wireless message has been received here that the American battleship fleet, which passed Point Dungeness and entered the Straits of Magellan at 2 o'clock this afternoon, will anchor for the night in Possession Bay and arrive at Punta Arenas at noon tomorrow, February 1.

Possession Bay is twenty miles westward of Point Dungeness and about five miles from the entrance to the first narrows, and affords good anchorage.

The seventeen vessels of the fleet doubled Dungeness Point at 1:30 p.m. and entered the straits.

ENTERS STRAITS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CAPE VIRGIN (Argentina) 12:15 a. m., Jan. 31.—The fleet of American battleships under Rear-Admiral Evans at this moment passed Cape Virgin and is advancing slowly toward the Straits of Magellan.

Six battleships can be seen from here. They are all close in to the cape. The first of the American battleships was sighted at 9 o'clock last evening. She was then entering the strait. This ship communicated with the Chilean lighthouse at Point Dungeness. She displayed by flag the cipher letters B and S, but it was impossible to learn the name of the vessel from those indications, the particular letters not being in the code available.

Continuing, this vessel communicated by signal that at midday on Thursday she had separated from the fleet, which was then progressing slowly in the direction of the straits. The main part of the fleet, the signals declared, expected to enter the straits shortly after midnight. At 9:30 o'clock on Thursday night the second battleship was sighted from here. This vessel stopped off Cape Virgin and it could be seen that she was making signals.

MAKES GOOD RUN.

The fleet has made a particularly good run from Rio Janeiro to Cape Virgin. The distance is 2230 nautical miles and it was covered in approximately eight days and eight hours. This is at a rate of 11.15 knots an hour or 267 knots a day.

The run from Port of Spain to Rio Janeiro was made by the fleet at approximately 307 knots a day. The distance from Cape Virgin to Punta Arenas is a little over 190 nautical miles, and the fleet should reach the latter point early this afternoon.

Examination of the code in use indicates that the cipher letters displayed by the battleship off Point Dungeness should have been G R L W, indicating that the ship was the Vermont of the first division of Admiral Evans's fleet.

KING TO SIGN FIRM DECREE.

LISBON, Jan. 31.—The Minister of Justice left here today for Villa Viçosa, to secure the signature of King Carlos to a decree, authorizing the adoption of severe measures of repression.

Such steps are considered necessary by the Cabinet for the preservation of public order.

One of the government organs published in Lisbon, today calls for the sternest measures and admits that numerous arrests have been made, and that depots of revolvers, poignards rifles and bombs have been discovered in different parts of the city.

LIFE AT STAKE.

THAW IN SUSPENSE.

Jury Is Locked Up for the Night.

Rumor That It Stands Eight to Four and Is Hopelessly Divided.

Prisoner Disconsolate and Fears Third Trial Will Be Necessary.

District-Attorney Declines to Speculate on Outcome of the Case.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—After waiting nearly twelve hours for the jury in the Thaw case to report, Justice Dowling, shortly after 11 o'clock tonight, ordered the doors of the jury room locked for the night, and adjourned court until 10:30 a.m., when he will hear any report they have to make.

The rumor persisted throughout the evening that the jurors were hopelessly divided, eight to four.

Mr. Littleton of the defense expressed the belief that the majority of the jury favor a verdict of not guilty on the ground of insanity, and when he left for his home he was still hopeful that a decision eventually would be reached.

Dist.-Atty. Jerome said: "Nobody can tell what a jury will do, so what is the use of speculating?"

THAW DISCONSOLATE.

Thaw retired disconsolately to his cell in the Tombs. He expressed the fear that a third trial would be necessary. This was the general opinion held by the court attaches.

The attorneys in the case were deeply disappointed by the trend of affairs, as everyone hoped that some definite conclusion might this time be reached.

Mr. Jerome would not discuss the possibility of a third trial, but said that if there were one, it might be in some other jurisdiction in the State than New York county.

The following verdicts are possible in the case:

Murder in the first degree; penalty, death.

Murder in the second degree; penalty, life imprisonment.

Manslaughter in the first degree; penalty not to exceed twenty years' imprisonment.

Not guilty on the ground of insanity at the time the crime was committed; commitment to Matteawan Asylum.

IN THE JURY'S HANDS.

The twelve jurors retired at 11:40 a.m., after listening to a charge from Justice Victor J. Dowling, who sought to impress upon them that the burden of proving the sanity of the defendant rested upon the prosecution throughout the trial, and declared that if from all the evidence in the case, the jury entertained a reasonable doubt as to his sanity, the defendant was entitled to the benefit of that doubt.

At the same time he explained the provision of the statutes, which says the only persons excused from criminal responsibility are those who suffer from such a defect of reason as either to not know the nature or quality of their act, or not to know that the act is wrong.

"So many hold that this is too hard a test," commented the court, "but it is the law. It is clear, explicit and reasonable. Mark you, that the law says a 'defect of reason,' and I must instruct that a defect of reason is not an opinion a man may hold as to the justice or correctness of his own acts or an opinion that the laws of the land are wrong. Hatred and revenge are not insanity. Most crimes are committed from just such motives as these."

INTERESTED SPECTATORS.

Mrs. William Thaw, her son, Josiah, and her daughter, Mrs. George L. Carnegie, and Evelyn Nesbit Thaw were in the courtroom while Justice Dowling read his charge. From the moment the first words came from the bench until the jury had filed out to begin its deliberations, the courtroom doors were locked, and no one was allowed to pass in or out. As the jury was about to leave the box, Justice Dowling asked if they desired any of the exhibits of the case. Foreman Gremmel replied: "The jury would like to have them all."

Thaw was compelled to stand and nod his formal assent to this action. The defendant listened intently to the judge's charge, the reading of which occupied just forty minutes. The fact that the jury desired to examine the exhibits was taken to indicate that they would be some time at their deliberations.

CHARGES THE JURY.

In the opening of his charge this morning, Justice Dowling impressed upon the jury the responsibility which was theirs, telling them that they should bear in mind that upon their verdict depended the life or liberty of the prisoner.

"Your verdict must not be influenced by any matter outside the record," said he. "Neither passion nor sympathy should sway you in your deliberations.

"You must not speculate or guess as to matters in evidence here, but must decide the issue solely upon your calm, dispassionate judgment as to the weight credibility and meaning of the testimony. Nor are you concerned

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POLITICAL.

FAVORS IDEAS OF PRESIDENT.

Gov. Hughes of New York Discusses Issues.

Says Country Is Indebted to Chief Executive.

Pleads for Harmony, That Victory May Come.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Gov. Charles E. Hughes, whose nomination for the Presidency by the National Republican Committee is being urged by the New York County Committee and other Republican county committees in New York State, made an open declaration of his views on national issues and principles tonight.

Until tonight, when he was welcomed by scores of well-known Republicans, at a reception tendered him at the Republican Club of New York City, Gov. Hughes had maintained silence on all questions affecting the country, and the definition of his position on Federal issues has consequently been eagerly awaited.

Gov. Hughes told his hearers tonight that he did not come before them in any spirit of rivalry or self-seeking, and that there are many Republicans who, by virtue of their character and distinguished services, are worthy of the highest honor the party can bestow."

RECEIVES OVATION.

The Governor was given an ovation when he concluded his speech. Declaring the Republican party was a party of progress and stability, Gov. Hughes in his speech commended the administration of President Roosevelt as one which, "to a degree almost unparalleled has impressed the popular imagination and won the confidence of the people."

The country, he said, was under lasting obligation to President Roosevelt for his vigorous opposition to abuses and for the strong impulse he had given to movements for their correction.

Gov. Hughes asserted his unqualified opposition to government ownership of railroads, but said that regulation of interstate transportation is essential to protect the people from unjust discriminations. As a means of railroad supervision, the Governor suggested an administrative board. He declared that the Sherman anti-trust act should be clarified and be made more explicit; that the law may be made stronger and more effective by being made more definite.

"I am not in favor of punishment in the shape of fines upon corporations except for minor offenses. The burden of fines imposed on such corporations is either transferred to the public or is borne by the stockholders, declared Gov. Hughes.

Revision of the tariff is advised by the Governor, who suggested that readjustment of schedules be effected by an expert commission, so that the fact be ascertained without delay and that Congress may dispose of the matter in the fairest possible manner.

DECRIES ARBITRARY ACTION.

Gov. Hughes declared that he did not believe in arbitrary action and that the rule of the people must be a rule of reason and every effort must be dominated by a sense of justice.

"We must be patient, impartial and thorough; investigation must precede action; good will must displace passion, and the sole motive must be to seek the truth and to do the right," said Gov. Hughes.

The speech of declaration was frequently punctuated by applause and cheers from the large gathering of club members and their guests, who stood packed in an immovable body on the floor of the reception hall for over an hour. A reception followed the address. The Governor's speech follows:

"Since I took office I have sought to make it clear that I would not become involved in factional strife or use the powers of office to further any personal interest. I am, and have been constantly, solicitous that the administration of affairs of this State should not be embarrassed by collateral considerations, and that every question shall be presented and decided upon its merits, unaffected by suggestion of ulterior motives.

"For this reason I have avoided gratuitous discussion of questions foreign to my official duty. But when, in justice to those who have honored me with their confidence and to the party, which, as we all desire, should set freely and with full information, it becomes a duty to speak, I have no desire to remain silent. Nor should I in any event, care to preserve availability at the expense of candor.

PRAISES THE PRESIDENT.

"We are contemplating a new administration, at the close of one which, to a degree almost unparalleled, has expressed the popular imagination and won the confidence of the people. The country is under lasting obligation to President Roosevelt for vigorous opposition to abuses and for the strong impulse he has given to movements for their correction.

"Differences of opinion now, as always, exist with regard to the best means of solving some of the extremely difficult problems that are presented. But those who earnestly desire progress and the establishment of our security on its necessary foundations of fair dealing and recognition of equal rights appreciate the great service he has rendered and the fundamental importance of the purposes he has had in view.

"We shall have in the next campaign a notable vantage ground, gained through the general admiration of his strong personality and the popular appreciation of the intensity of his desire to promote the righteous conduct of affairs and the welfare of his fellow-men.

"The battle for free institutions has been a struggle against special privileges. It is not won merely by the creation of new forms of government. Against every attempt to make government the instrument of selfish purposes, a free people must constantly be on the alert. Every franchise granted by the people is a privilege granted only by consideration of the public welfare and the conditions of its exercise should be such as to insure the performance of public obligation. There must be no encroachment on the common right for the purpose of serving the interests of the few at the expense of the many.

FURTHER APPROVAL.

"I approve the Roosevelt extension of the authority of the Interstate Commerce Commission by what is known as the rate bill, and I believe that the commission should have the most ample powers for purposes of investigation and supervision, and for making rules and orders, which will enable it to deal to the fullest extent possible within constitutional limits with interstate transportation in all its phases. That is a just policy.

"The power of Congress to fix rates for interstate transportation so as to prevent improper discriminations and to compel carriage upon reasonable terms is undoubted.

"The Sherman anti-trust law should be clarified and made more explicit. The law may be made stronger and more effective by being made more definite. Sweeping condemnations of uncertain meaning do not aid, but rather embarrass, the prosecution of those who are guilty of pernicious practices. Combinations and practices in unreasonable restraint of trade and which menace the freedom of interstate commerce should be condemned in precise terms. At the same time provisions may well be made for joint agreements, under proper circumstances, as to railroad rates, which should be subject to the approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

AS TO MONOPOLIES.

"Various means have been suggested of doubtful validity and still more doubtful utility—to prevent oppression through the conduct of large enterprises and to secure the enforcement of the law against illegal attempts to monopolize and the various devices resorted to in unlawful restraint of trade. In my judgment the most effective course is explicit definition of what is wrong and adequate punishment of the guilty. Such laws, like laws in general which are definite and supported by public sentiment, are to a very large extent self-executing. That is, they are generally obeyed.

"I am not in favor of punishment in the shape of fines upon corporations, except for minor offenses. The burden of fines imposed upon such corporations is either transferred to the public or is borne by stockholders, the innocent as well as the guilty. Nor am I impressed by the argument that American juries will generally be indisposed to convict where the evidence is clear because the crime is punished by imprisonment of the offenders. But if the law be definite and the evidence warrants the presentation of the case to the jury, it is better, in my judgment, that the responsibility for failure to convict should lie with the jury than the conviction should be followed by penalties which are either inadequate or bear unjustly upon those who have had no complicity in the offense.

"I do not believe in arbitrary action. We desire prosperity. We are anxious that there should be fair opportunities for all the workers of the land, for the extension of industry and commerce, and that there should be the widest diffusion of blessings among a contented people.

"To attain these ends the rule of the people must be the rule of reason and every effort must be dominated by the sense of justice. We must be patient, impartial and thorough; investigations must precede action; good will must displace passion; and the sole motive must be to seek the truth and to do the right.

"Fellow Republicans, I do not come before you in any spirit of rivalry or self-seeking. There are many Republicans who, by virtue of their character and distinguished services, are worthy of the highest honor the party can bestow. I ask no favor and I make no claim. I desire that the party shall act for its best interests.

"We must not underestimate the labors of the next campaign. It will be a hard-fought battle. We cannot expect victory unless we are united, and nothing should be done to imperil success in this State.

"I appeal to you, in the name of the party to which you are loyal, to forget every personal difference and to make the work which precedes the convention a fitting preparation for the united effort which will be later essential."

RUSSIA TO GREET TOLSTOI.

Eightieth Birthday of Noted Philosopher to Be Marked in Unique Way.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At a largely-attended meeting of men representing practically the whole of educated Russia, it was decided to celebrate Count Leo Tolstoi's eightieth birthday anniversary, next August, in an elaborate and unique way. It is expected that the festivities will be attended by many of the world's greatest men and women. An international committee has been appointed to prepare the programme. Prof. Christopher Ivan Kovalevsky, a member of the Russian Council of State, is president of the committee.

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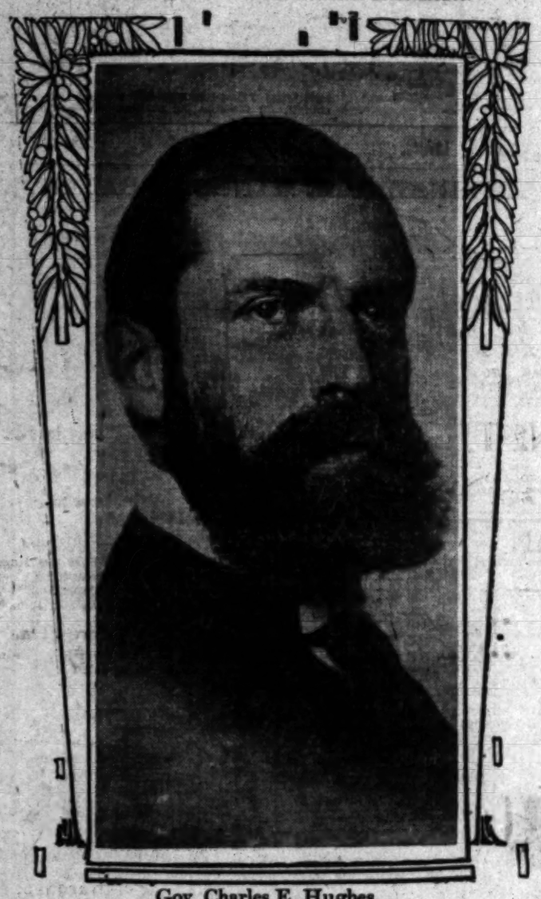

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CRISIS AT HAND.

POLES RISE IN ANGRY PROTEST

BAN ON GERMAN GOODS BECAUSE OF EXPROPRIATION PLAN.

Critical Situation Arises Over Proposed Confiscation of Lands for Settlement by Kaiser's Loyal Subjects and Chancellor Says Law Is Absolutely Necessary.

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BERLIN, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A fresh outburst of angry protests and vigorous renewal of the boycott against German goods indicate the feeling of Germany's 2,000,000 Polish subjects in regard to the government's efforts to force them to submit to complete Germanization.

Practically the full weight of the government's influence has been brought to bear to compel the passage of a bill providing for the expropriation of Polish landlords in the eastern provinces of Prussia and the opening of their lands to German colonization.

Notwithstanding the objections of Prince Radziwill, and other influential Poles, who declare that the measure is in violation both of the constitution and the right of private property, Chancellor Buelow now takes the position that the adoption of the law is absolutely necessary, declaring that otherwise Germany stands in peril of the complete loss of the Polish provinces as the result of the spread of anti-German sentiment.

These utterances have served merely to strengthen the ire of the Polish inhabitants who are retaliating by refusing to buy goods of German manufacture. The bill has been modified so that for the time being only 175,000 acres can be held subject to expropriations, but this has done little to allay Polish indignation.

Politicians who are in touch with the situation in East Prussia describe the feeling there as one of intense resentment, which the government's recent anti-Polish proposals are fanning into open animosity.

CRIPPLED ACTRESS ON STAGE.

Olga Nethersole Plays "Carmen" Seated in Wheel Chair Because of Bad Injury to Ankle.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 31.—Miss Olga Nethersole played "Carmen" here last night at the Nixon Theater while seated in a wheel chair.

Yesterday the actress met with an accident, falling on the slippery pavement and seriously rupturing a ligament in her right ankle near the instep. She also received a severe bruise over the eye.

Despite the pain and urging of physicians, Miss Nethersole pluckily determined to appear last night. The audience was notified at the beginning of the performance, and when the actress appeared seated in a wheel chair, she was given hearty applause.

Notwithstanding the great difficulty, the portrayal was a remarkably clear and spirited one.

INSURGENTS SEIZE CITY.

Situation on Persian Frontier Critical and Europeans Demand Protection.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ODESSA, Jan. 31.—A dispatch has been received from Julfa, on the Russo-Persian frontier, saying that the situation at Tabriz is extremely critical. The revolutionists are in possession of the town, and their numbers are constantly increasing. Bands of insurgents march through the streets of Tabreez, looting and terrorizing the people. The government has no control of the situation.

The European residents have barricaded themselves in their houses, and have appealed to the Russian Consul for Cossacks. The Viceroy of the Caucasus has ordered Russian troops to Julfa to be ready in any emergency.

The Treasury Department yesterday purchased 100,000 ounces of silver for delivery at New Orleans at 55.706 cents per fine ounce.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Snow began to fall shortly after noon today, and was still coming down in liberal quantities at a late hour tonight. It was the great Southwest storm center that did the work, and is hurrying in a whole bundle of weather, including rain and sleet and warmth and freeze with the snow. Another cold spell is predicted for Saturday night. Today's maximum temperature was 29 deg.; minimum, 23 deg.

Middle West temperatures, the dash indicating below zero:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	30	—4
Bismarck	4	0
Cairo	42	32
Cheyenne	2	—6
Cincinnati	36	20
Cleveland	32	10
Concordia	34	24
Davenport	28	22
Denver	6	0
Des Moines	26	20
Detroit	32	12
Devil's Lake	0	—4
Dodge City	30	20
Dubuque	22	16
Duluth	14	2
Escanaba	30	6
Grand Rapids	32	14
Green Bay	22	0
Helena	8	2
Huron	30	10
Indianapolis	36	14
Kansas City	32	28
Marquette	16	0
Memphis	50	36
Milwaukee	38	16
Omaha	32	20
St. Louis	38	27
St. Paul	16	10
Sault Ste. Marie	16	0
Springfield, Ill.	34	26
Springfield, Mo.	38	28
Wichita	44	32

TRACTION TANGLE ENDS.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] First-mortgage bonds of the new Chicago Railways Company to the amount of $12,000,000 have been subscribed by N. W. Harris & Co. of New York and the City National Bank of that city, who will form a syndicate to underwrite the bonds and finance the company. When this announcement was made to Judge Grosscup, the court approved the sale, and the Union Traction litigation was at an end.

LIVES IN TENT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MT. VERNON (Ill.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thomas Neal, who has been missing since December 10, has been located living in a tent on a ranch near Phoenix, Ariz. He is vice-president of the Ewing Bank and a wealthy stock buyer.

ANOTHER CARUSO.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After being knocked down by a bystander and pursued by a crowd of angry men through the downtown streets at noon today, a man, who said he was Thomas R. Confare, director of Debaugh's orchestra, was captured and locked up, charged with insulting Miss Agnes Lang, 22 years old.

TRIBUTE TO ENGINEER.

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CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Larry Gaghan, for fifty years a locomotive engineer on the Chicago and Northwestern Railway, made his last run this afternoon before retirement on a pension. His engine, drawing train No. 17, left the Wells-street station for Sterling, Ill., at 3:45 p.m. At 7:10 p.m. the train arrived at Sterling, where Gaghan dismounted from the engine cab for the last time. He received an ovation at every station on the division, all business being suspended for an hour at some places.

BROTHERS IN SUICIDE PACT.

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LITCHFIELD (Ill.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As a result of a suicidal compact, James Lipsy, 44 years old, is dead, and his brother, Charles, 40, is dying at his home in Raymond. Both used the same revolver. They were well known in business.

TO WRECK BUILDING.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Building Commissioner Smith will have fifteen men with axes wreck the "nickelodeons" in this city if any attempt is made Sunday to give stage performances.

BREWER PARALYZED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FREEPORT (Ill.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] While speaking at a meeting of the Freeport Liquor Dealers' Protective Association last night, John F. Franz, a brewer, was suddenly stricken with paralysis of the left leg and arm and lost his voice completely.

TENANTS' ULTIMATUM.

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ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Agents of the Low Rent Association, representing 800 families, today delivered an ultimatum to landlords of the Ghetto that unless a 20 per cent. reduction is given, the February rent will not be paid.

ROW OVER RED HAIR.

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MARION (Ind.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] "Don't get red-headed about it," said R. R. Miley, a conductor on a Jonesboro street car to Mrs. A. Cooper when she remonstrated against paying full fare for the passage of her six-year-old child. It happens that the woman's hair is of an auburn hue and she arose from her seat and gave the conductor's ears a boxing. The conductor stopped his car and ejected her.

MYSTERY INCREASES.

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JANESVILLE (Wis.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A rumor has gained wide circulation here that a third woman has been attacked in a manner similar to the Clayton girl and Miss Malone. She escaped from her assailant, however, and has tried to keep the facts secret. The police are believed to be using the clews furnished by the latest victim in an effort to solve the mystery connected with the deaths of the other two women.

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Heney today is laying a foundation to bring out that while Hall had referred the complaints against the Butte Creek company to the Department of the Interior, and requested the appointment of a special agent to investigate these complaints of settlers, he did not resort to this red-tape method in the other instances where he promptly ordered fences removed on receipt of the first intimation that such fence existed. Hall's cross-examination continued this afternoon.

DENIES BANK FAILURE.

President of Sutter Creek State Institution Says Commissioners Ordered Reserve Increase.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OAKLAND, Jan. 31.—Jackson Dennis, president of the Sutter Creek State Bank, denied statements published this morning that the bank had been closed. He said the bank commissioners had directed him to increase his reserve.

Dennis declared that owing to the financial depression cash had been short at the Sutter Creek Bank. He added:

"The bank is not closed and the statement that the Niles State Bank was involved is untrue. I have the following telegram which will be the best evidence of the truth of what I say:

"'SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 30.—To J. E. Jacobs, cashier Niles State Bank, Niles, Cal.: Niles State Bank is not a branch of the Sutter Creek State Bank and was in perfectly solvent condition when I visited it yesterday. Report regarding the Sutter Creek State Bank very much exaggerated. John C. Lynch, Bank Commissioner.'"

At Niles the bank is conducting its business as usual and all depositors who call are paid in full whenever payments are requested.

SUES FOR DUTY ON SAKE.

Importers Try to Recover $1,500,000 Paid Customs Officers Under Protest.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—A case presenting a question as to the rate of duty that should be collected upon the importation of Japanese sake, which involves more than $1,500,000, will be brought before the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals Monday by United States District Attorney Devlin.

The Japanese importing firm of T. Komada & Co. has brought suit against the United States to recover $1,500,000 as duty paid under protest since 1900.

Sake is a light colored, non-effervescent liquid containing alcohol varying from 17 to 22 per cent., made from rice, but not distilled, the alcohol contained in it being produced by fermentation. T. Komada & Co. contend that sake should be taxed the same as beer.

Prior to 1904 sake was assessed for duty as a spirituous beverage at the rate of $2.50 per proof gallon. A protest was made in that year against the classification, the claim being made by the government appraisers that sake was dutiable as a still wine by similitude, the importers claiming that sake was not provided for in the tariff acts as a wine.

If the government loses the case the United States will lose in the future $350,000 or more each year by reason of the reduced rate which must be imposed.

FIGHT FIRE THREE WEEKS.

Crew of Coal Steamer Has Hard Battle With Flames in Coal Bunkers. Seaman Breaks Leg.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—The German steamer Salatis, of the Kosmos line, which arrived yesterday from Hamburg by way of Acapulco, reports that for three weeks, between Callao and Central America, the coal was on fire in the bunkers and that the fire was only extinguished after hard work. It was finally accomplished without damage to the vessel.

A passenger on the Salatis was Charles Ensen, second mate of the American ship St. Francis, who returns suffering from a fractured leg, the result of an accident at Callao. The ship had started to drag her anchor, and Ensen and a sailor went out in a small boat to lay another anchor.

By mistake the sailor cut the line too soon, and the falling anchor capsized the boat and by means of a fouled line took Ensen below the surface a distance of several fathoms, when the line, after fracturing his leg in two places, and tearing the flesh from the bone, slipped off and allowed him to rise, unconscious, to the surface. He was quickly rescued and for the following ten weeks lay in a hospital.

FOR NEARLY TWO MILLIONS.

PROMINENT BROKER FAILS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SEATTLE, Jan. 31.—Porteous B. Ware, former president of the Ware Commission Company, and prominent on the Chicago Stock Exchange, has filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy, giving his debts as $1,805,141, and assets as $383,857. He states that the major portion of his indebtedness was incurred in signing notes of companies of which he was an officer, including the following:

The Ware Grain Company, the North American Trading and Transporting Company, the Central Alaska Company, the Chicago Terminal Elevator Railway Company and the Waukesha Water Company.

Much of his assets consist of stock in companies now bankrupt.

CLERK IS MISSING.

Pay Roll Employee of the Reclamation Service Disappears from Phoenix.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William F. Shiras, pay-roll clerk at the United States Reclamation Service office in Phoenix, is missing. He handled no money in his employment, and his superiors say that his accounts check out correctly. For some time he had been drinking heavily, but he was relatively sober last Monday evening, when he displayed a revolver to his wife and threatened suicide. An hour later he left for Maricopa, where he last was seen. He told an acquaintance he had come to meet a brother—a statement that had no foundation. Conjectures are divided over a possible suicide on the desert or departure for Los Angeles, where before coming to Arizona last September he was employed by a gas company.

SUE BANK DIRECTORS.

Depositors Endeavor to Recover $264,592, Alleging Embezzlement by President.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OAKLAND, Jan. 31.—Suit was brought this afternoon against stockholders of the California Bank to recover $264,592 that the plaintiffs allege was embezzled and misappropriated by the directors of the bank.

Plaintiffs are S. S. Austin, J. H. Miller, James Moir, James Rutherford, Kate Kea and John Orchison, who were depositors in the bank. It is directed against John W. Phillips, J. E. Richardson, Benjamin Smith and James Taylor, directors.

The action is based upon the alleged misappropriation and embezzlement on the part of D. Edward Collins, former president of the bank. The loans enumerated in the complaint as being made without security are to D. Edward Collins, $35,000; overdrafts to D. Edward Collins, $11,101.07. William C. Collins & Son, of Ventura, $20,000; William C. Collins & Son, overdrafts, $71,341.52; Northwest Construction Company, $40,000; Northwest Construction Company, overdrafts, $7149.96.

The plaintiffs in the case allege all these loans were made by Collins and directors of the bank without securities, and knowing at the time that these loans were valueless.

JAP FAMILIES ADMITTED.

Terms of Emigration to Hawaii Include Relatives of Those There and Who Have Been There.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Advices from Honolulu state that Minister of Foreign Affairs Hayashi has cabled to Japanese Consul-General Saito the regulations adopted by the Japanese government in regard to the emigration of Japanese laborers to Hawaii. He says that permission to Japanese laborers to emigrate to Hawaii is limited, for the time being, to the following classes only:

First—Those who have been in Hawaii and desire to go again.

Second—The parents, wives, children, brothers and sisters of the persons who are at present living in Hawaii.

Third—The husbands and wives of the brothers and sisters included in the second class.

The regulation is to take effect February 7. It has been figured out that under this regulation, considering there are 70,000 or 80,000 Japanese now in Hawaii, it is possible for half a million more to come, and unless strict regulations are adopted the number that might come is practically unlimited.

BURDETTE TALKS.

Los Angeles Minister Delivers Address at Interdenominational Missionary Conference.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—"The Call to Arms" and the "Muster Roll" were the topics discussed at the morning and afternoon sessions of the Interdenominational Missionary conference, which held its second day's session at the Calvary Presbyterian Church. The big auditorium was filled to its capacity to listen to Rev. Robert J. Burdette, who delivered an address on "The Living River."

Unbounded faith in the future of San Francisco was the keynote of the most notable address of the day by Bishop John W. Hamilton.

"The Forces in Opposition to the Work of the Missionary" was the subject of an address by Rev. F. W. Clampett, rector of Trinity Church.

"The Call of Talent" was discussed by Rev. H. H. Bell for young men to enter missionary work, and "The Problem of the City," began Thursday morning by Bishop John M. Walden, was finished by him.

Miss Jeanette Gedalius made an appeal for missions among the Jews.

Rev. H. S. Johnson, superintendent of oriental missions for the Methodist Episcopal Church, told of the work that is being accomplished in Japan.

TO TEST SOIL FOR WHEAT.

EXPERIMENTS NEAR STOCKTON.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] G. W. Shaw, expert in agriculture and sugar technology of the University of California, at Berkeley, today completed arrangements for experiments to be made in this vicinity on wheat growing.

The stations will be situated on the Sturgeon ranch near French Camp, on the Lee A. Phillips tract and the Rindge syndicate land on the island, so that the different kinds of soil can be studied to advantage from a purely agricultural standpoint.

A carload of earth is to be brought from Kansas and used in a small plot on the island to see if the different climatic conditions have any effect on wheat.

The humus or vegetable matter in the soil in the vicinity is also to be considered. Mr. Shaw says that at the end of the coming season he expects to have much valuable information for the farmers.

JAP SLASHES JAP.

VICTIM DYING OF WOUNDS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—T. Iwanaga, a Japanese cook who came from Stockton last night to find work in this city, was met at the ferry by one of his own countrymen who, after taking him to a lodging house on Stockton street, entered into a dispute with him and finally ended by cutting his throat, slashing his wrist and then inserting the razor between his ribs and puncturing his lungs. Iwanaga is dying at the Central Emergency Hospital and is unable to give the name of his assailant, whom he says he never saw before.

WOMEN IN CONFERENCE.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH AUXILIARY.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—The annual meeting of the woman's auxiliary of the Episcopal Board of Missions was held today in Trinity Church, opening with the celebration of the Holy Communion, the Rev. L. C. Sanford being the celebrant. Several hundred women were present, and also a number of the clergymen who have been here attending the annual convention of the Episcopal church which closed yesterday. A business meeting was held this afternoon, at which Bishop Nichols delivered an address.

EXPECT ABDICATION NEWS.

Cablegram to Victoria Chinaman Forecasts Announcement of Dowager Empress's Retirement.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VICTORIA, Jan. 31.—Local Chinese confidently expect announcement from Peking tomorrow or within the next few days of the abdication of the Empress Dowager.

A cablegram received by a local Chinese today from an official source at Tien-Tsin, says:

"Expect announcement abdication commencement New Year."

The Chinese New Year begins tomorrow.

GOVERNOR'S LIFE THREATENED.

"Pardon Prisoner or Steunenberg's Fate Will Be Yours" Is Substance of Anonymous Letter.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PORTLAND, Jan. 31.—A special dispatch to the Oregonian from Troutdale, Or., states that Gov. George K. Chamberlain has received an anonymous letter demanding that John Branton be released from the Oregon penitentiary and threatens, if the Governor refuses, the fate of Gov. Steunenberg of Idaho, and former Sheriff Harvey K. Brown of Baker county.

Branton was sent to the State Prison from Cottage Grove, Or., for attempting to kill a man for his life insurance. A brother of Branton was hanged at Eugene about six years ago.

Gov. Chamberlain is en route to Hood River to deliver an address.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Married by Judge Buck.

REDWOOD, Jan. 31.—Winnifred Burrell, daughter of Chris Evans, was married here yesterday by Superior Judge George H. Buck, to Adelbert A. Guiterres of Sacramento. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for Sacramento.

Stole Groceries from Woman.

TRACY, Jan. 31.—Roy Elderkin, 22 years old, who says he is the son of James K. Elderkin, a wealthy insurance man of Denver, was arrested here tonight by Constable Poodva, of Lathrop, for stealing groceries from a woman's buggy.

Sue for Bullion Tax.

GOLDFIELD, Jan. 31.—Atty.-Gen. Stoddard, representing the State, and Attorney Swallow, the county, brought suit in the District Court today against the Goldfield-Mohawk Mining Company and the Combination Mines Company, et al., for $54,300 claimed to be overdue as bullion taxes. The former corporation is sued for $47,730, while from the latter $6569 is sought.

Woman Victim of Shooting Dies.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 31.—Mrs. Theodore Kosch of Fruitvale, who was shot down by Alois Machalla in front of her home on Monday night, died shortly after 7 o'clock yesterday morning. Mrs. Kosch never regained consciousness after the shooting. She was 27 years of age.

Robbed Postoffice Is Charge.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—A complaint has been sworn to by Postoffice Inspector O'Connell, charging James Nash, alias Frank McCann, alias James Walsh, who is under arrest in Fresno, with burglary. It is alleged that he broke into the postoffice at Campbell on December 23 last.

Recovers Cash and Rich Gems.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Mrs. Josef Hofmann, wife of the pianist, today received her opera bag, containing $2000 in jewelry and coin, which was lost at Christian Science Hall during a concert last night. A San Rafael lady found the bag as she was leaving the hall. When she learned today that the bag and jewelry was the property of Mrs. Hofman she returned them to her.

Haskins Appointed.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Philip C. Haskins was appointed chief deputy by Collector of Internal Revenue Muenter today, to succeed C. G. Fowler, resigned on account of ill-health.

Commissioners in Charge.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—The State bank commissioners have taken charge of the Sutter Creek State Bank, which recently suspended payments. Commissioner Lynch closed the bank and placed a custodian in charge, pending an adjustment of its affairs. The commissioners believe the bank is not hopelessly insolvent and expect it to resume business shortly.

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AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Wellington, Mme. Herbenier, C. Durand; Hotel Astor, H. Richardson; Grand, C. J. Eastman and wife.

IN SAN FRANCISCO.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the St. Francis, P. A. Garvin, Walter Taylor, L. H. Robinson, M. M. Shields, J. W. Roche, B. Harrison.

THE Indian police will be the subject of an interesting article in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday.

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Anti-Trust Act Should Be More Explicit, Says President.

(Continued from First Page.)

ployers' Liability Act, the experience of the Interstate Commerce Commission and of the Department of Justice in enforcing the interstate commerce and anti-trust laws, and the gravely significant attitude toward the law and its administration recently adopted by certain heads of great corporations render it desirable that there shall be additional legislation as regards certain of the relations between labor and capital and between the great corporations and the public.

The Supreme Court has decided the employers' liability law to be unconstitutional because its terms apply to employés engaged wholly in interstate commerce as well as to employés engaged in intrastate commerce. By a substantial majority the court holds that the Congress has power to deal with the question in so far as interstate commerce is concerned.

As regards the employers' liability law, I advocate its immediate reenactment, limiting its scope so that it shall apply only to the class of cases as to which the court says it can constitutionally apply, but strengthening its provisions within this scope. Interstate employment being thus covered by an adequate national law, the field of intrastate employment will be left to the action of the several States.

With this clear definition of responsibility, the States will undoubtedly strive to the performance of their duty within their field the consideration, the importance the subject demands.

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY.

I also very urgently advise a comprehensive act be passed providing for compensation by the government to all employés injured in the government service. Under the present law, an injured workman in the employment of the government has no remedy, and the entire burden of the accident falls on the helpless man, his wife and his young children.

This is an outrage. This is a matter of humiliation to the nation that there should not be on our statute books provisions to meet and partially to atone for cruel misfortune when it comes upon a man through no fault of his own while faithfully serving the public. In no other prominent industrial country in the world could such injustice occur, for most all civilized nations have enacted legislation embodying the complete recognition of the principle which places the entire trade risk, for industrial accidents (excluding, of course, accidents due to wilful misconduct by the employé,) on the industry as represented by the employer, which in this case is the government.

In all these countries, the principle applies to the government just as much as to the private employers. Under no circumstances should the injured employé or his surviving dependents be required to bring suit against the government, nor should it be a requirement in order to secure recovery that negligence in some form on the part of the government should also be shown.

Our proposition is not to confer a right upon the government employé, but to secure him suitable provision against injuries received in the course of his employment. The burden of these trade risks should be placed upon the government exactly as the workingman is entitled to his wages, as he should be entitled to indemnity for the injuries sustained in the natural course of his labor. The rates of compensation and regulation for the employment should be specified in the law, and the machinery for determining the amount to be paid should in each case be provided in such manner that the employé is properly represented without expense to him.

FOR ALL EMPLOYEES.

In other words, the compensation should be paid automatically, while the application of the law in the first instance should be vested in the Department of Commerce and Labor. The law should apply to all laborers, mechanics and other civilian employés of the government of the United States, including those in the service of the Panama canal commission and of the Insular government.

The same broad principle which should apply to the government should ultimately be made applicable to all private employers. Where the nation has the power it should enact laws to this effect. Where the States alone have the power they should enact the laws. It is to be observed that an employers' liability law does not really mean mulcting the employers in damage suits. It merely throws upon the employer the burden of accident insurance against injuries which are sure to occur.

It requires him either to bear, or to distribute through insurance the loss which can readily be borne when distributed, but which, if undistributed, bears with frightful hardship upon the unfortunate victim of accident, while, in theory if wages were always freely and fairly adjusted, they would always include an allowance as against the risk of injury, just as certainly as the rate of interest for money includes an allowance for insurance against the risk of loss.

In theory if employés were all experienced business men, they would employ part of their income to secure accident insurance, but as a matter of fact it is not practical to expect that this will be done by the great body of employés. An employer's liability law makes it certain that it will be done, in effect, by the employer, and it will ultimately impose no real burden on him.

There is a special bill to which I call your attention. Secretary Taft has urgently recommended the immediate passage of a law providing for compensation to employés of the government injured in the work of the Isthmian canal, and that $150,000 be appropriated for this purpose each year.

I earnestly hope this will be done and that a special bill be passed covering the case of Yardmaster Banton, who was injured nearly two years ago while doing his duty. He is now helpless to support himself, his wife and his three little boys.

QUESTION OF INJUNCTIONS.

I again call your attention to the need of some action in connection with the abuse of injunctions in labor cases. As regards the rights and wrongs of labor and capital, from blacklisting and boycotting, the whole matter is covered in admirable fashion by the report of the Anthracite Coal Strike Commission, which report should serve as a chart for the guidance of both legislative and executive officers.

As regards injunctions I can do little but repeat what I have said in my last message to the Congress. Even though it were possible, I should consider it most unwise to abolish the use of the process of injunction. It is necessary in order that the courts may maintain their own dignity and in order that they may in effective manner check disorder and violence.

The judge who uses it cautiously and conservatively, but who, when the need arises, uses it fearlessly, confers the greatest service upon our people and his preëminent usefulness as a public servant should be heartily recognized. But there is no question in my mind that it has sometimes been used recklessly and that some of the injunctions issued inflict grave and occasional irreparable wrong upon those enjoined.

It is all wrong to use the injunction to prevent the entirely proper and legitimate actions of labor organizations in their struggle for industrial betterment, or under the guise of protecting property rights unwarrantably to avoid the fundamental rights of the individual. It is futile to concede, as we all do, the right and the necessity of organized effort on the part of the wage earners, and yet by injunctive process to forbid peaceable action to accomplish the lawful object for which they are organized and upon which their success depends.

URGES SAFEGUARDS.

The fact that the punishment for the violation of an injunction must, to make the order effective, necessarily be summary and without the intervention of a jury, makes its issuance in doubtful cases a dangerous practice, and in itself furnishes a reason why the process should be surrounded with safeguards to protect individuals against being enjoined from exercising their proper rights. Reasonable notice should be given the adverse party. This matter is daily becoming of grave importance, and I cannot too urgently recommend that Congress give careful consideration to the subject. If some way of remedying the abuses is not found, the feeling of indignation against them among large numbers of our citizens will tend to grow so extreme as to produce a revolt against the whole use of the process of injunction.

The ultra-conservatives who object to limiting the abuses will do well to remember that if popular feeling does become strong against any of those upon whom they rely to defend them, will be the first to turn against them. Men of property cannot afford to trust to anything save the spirit of justice and fair play.

It is my purpose as soon as may be to submit some further recommendations in reference to our laws regulating labor conditions within the sphere of Federal authority. A very recent decision of the Supreme Court of the United rendered since this message was written in the case of Adair against the United States, seemingly of far-reaching importance and of very serious probable consequences, has modified the previously entertained views on the powers of Congress in the premises to such a degree as to make necessary careful consideration in order to decide in what way I may call the matter to your attention.

RAILROAD RATES ARE DISCUSSED.

Not only should there be action on certain laws affecting wage earners; there should also be such action on laws better to secure control over the great business concerns engaged in interstate commerce and especially over the great common carriers. The Interstate Commerce Commission should be empowered to pass upon any rate or practice on its own initiative.

Moreover, it should be provided that whenever the commission has reason to believe that a proposed advance in a rate ought not to be made without investigation, it should have authority to issue an order prohibiting the advance pending examination by the commission.

I would not be understood as expressing an opinion that any or even a majority of these advances are improper. Many of the rates in this country have been abnormally low. The operating expenses of our railroads, notably the wages paid railroad employés, have greatly increased. These and other causes may in any given case justify an advance in rates, and if so the advance should be permitted and approved, but there may be, and doubtless are, cases where this is not true, and our law should be so framed that the government, as the representative of the whole people, can protect the individual against unlawful exactions for the use of these public highways.

The Interstate Commerce Commission should be provided with the means to make a physical valuation of any roads as to which it deems this valuation necessary. In some form the Federal government should exercise supervision over the financial operations of our interstate railroads. In no other way can justice be done between the private owners of those properties and the public which pay their charges.

When once any inflated capitalization has gone upon the market and has become fixed in value its existence must be recognized. As a practical matter it is too often absolutely necessary to take account of the thousands of innocent stockholders who have purchased their stocks in good faith.

FAVORS PREVENTION.

The usual result of such inflation is therefore to impose upon the public an unnecessary but everlasting tax, while the innocent purchasers of the stock are also harmed and only a few speculators are benefited. Such wrongs when once accomplished can with difficulty be undone, but they can be prevented with safety and justice.

When combinations of interstate railroads must obtain government sanction, when it is no longer possible for an interstate railroad to issue stocks and bonds save in the manner approved by the Federal government; when that government makes sure that the proceeds of every stock and bond issue goes into the improvement of the property and not the enrichment of some individual or a syndicate; when it becomes material for guidance in the regulating action of the government, the physical value of one of these properties is determined and made known, there will be eliminated from railroad securities that element of uncertainty which lends to them their speculative quality and which has contributed much to the financial stress of recent past.

I think that the Federal government must also assume a certain measure of control over the physical operation of railroads in the handling of interstate traffic. The commission has authority over through routes and joint rates. In order to make this provision effective and in order to promote in times of necessity the proper movement of traffic, I think it must also have authority to determine the conditions upon which cars shall be interchanged between the different interstate railroads. It is also probable that the commission should have authority, in particular instances, to determine a schedule upon which perishable commodities shall be moved.

REPEATS RECOMMENDATION.

In this connection, I desire to repeat my recommendation that railroads be permitted to form traffic associations for the purpose of conferring about and agreeing upon rates, regulations and practices affecting interstate business in which the members in the association are mutually interested. This does not mean that they should be given the right to pool their earnings or their traffic.

The law requires that rates shall be so adjusted as not to discriminate between individuals, localities or different species of traffic. Ordinarily, rates by all competing lines must be the same. As applied to practical conditions, the railway operations of this country cannot be conducted according to law without what is equivalent to conference and agreement. The articles under which associations operate should be approved by the commission; all their operations should be open to public inspection; and the rates, regulations and practice upon which they agree should be subject to disapproval by the commission.

I urge this last provision with the same earnestness that I do the others. The country provides its railroad facilities by private capital. Those facilities will not be adequate unless the capital employed is assured of just treatment and an adequate return.

In fixing the charges of our railroads, I believe that, in the public interest alone, it is better to be too liberal than too scanty, for otherwise there is grave danger that our railroad development may not keep pace with the demand for transportation. But the fundamental idea that these railroads are public highways must be recognized and they must be open to the whole public upon equal terms and reasonable terms.

DISCUSSES COMBINATIONS.

In reference to the Sherman anti-trust law, I repeat the recommendations made in my message at the opening of the present Congress, as well as in my message to the previous Congress. The attempt in this law to provide in sweeping terms against all combinations of whatever character, technically in restraint of trade, as such restraint has been defined by the courts, must necessarily be either futile or mischievous and sometimes both. The present law makes some combinations illegal, although they may be useful to the country.

On the other hand, as to some huge combinations which are both noxious and illegal, even if the action undertaken against them under the law by the government is successful, the result may be to work but a minimum benefit to the public.

Even though the combination be broken up and a small measure of reform thereby produced, the real good aimed at cannot be obtained, for such real good can come only by a thorough and continuing supervision over the acts of the combination in all its parts, so as to prevent stock watering, improper terms of competition, and in short, wrongdoing generally.

The law should correct that portion of the Sherman Act which prohibits all combinations of the character above described, whether they be reasonable or unreasonable; but this should be done only as part of a general scheme to provide for this effective and thoroughgoing supervision by the national government of all the operations of the big interstate business concerns.

Judge Hough of New York, in his recent decision in the Harriman case, states that the Congress possesses the power to limit the interstate operations of corporations not complying with Federal safeguards against the recurrence of obnoxious practices, and to license those which afford the public adequate security against methods calculated to diminish solvency, and therefore efficiency and economy in interstate transportation.

The judge adds that in these matters "the power of Congress is ample, though as yet not fruitful in results." It is very earnestly to be desired that either along the lines the judge indicates or in some other way equally efficacious, the Congress may use the power which it possesses. Superficially it may seem that the laws, the passage of which I again advocate—for I have repeatedly advocated them before—are not connected, but in reality they are connected. Each and every one of these laws, if enacted, would represent part of the campaign against privilege, part of the campaign to make the class of great property holders realize that property has its duties no less than its rights.

TALKS OF THEIR DUTIES.

When the courts guarantee to the employer, as they should, the rights of the employer, and to the property the rights of property, they should no less emphatically make it evident that they will exact from property and from the employer the duties which should necessarily accompany those rights; and hitherto our laws have failed in precisely this point to enforce the performance of duty by the man of property toward the man who works for him, and by the man of great wealth, especially if he uses that wealth in corporate form, toward the investor, the wage worker and the general public.

The permanent failure of the man of property to fulfill his obligations would ultimately assure the wresting from him of the privileges which he is entitled to enjoy only if he fails to recognize the obligations accompanying them. Those who assume or share the responsibility for this failure are rendering but a poor service to the cause they believe they champion.

I do not know whether it is possible, but if possible, it is certainly desirable, that in connection with measures to restrain stock watering and overcapitalizing there should be measures taken to prevent, at least, the grosser forms of gambling in securities and commodities, such as making large sales of what men do not possess, and "cornering" the market.

Legitimate purchases of commodities and of stocks for investment have no connection whatever with purchases of stocks or other securities or commodities on margins or for speculative or gambling purposes. There is no difference in gambling at cards or in lotteries or at the race track and gambling in the stock market. Often what is just as pernicious to the body politic as the other kind, and in degree the evil worked is far greater.

But it is a far more difficult subject with which to deal. The bulk of the business transacted on the exchanges is not only legitimate, but is necessary to the working of our modern industrial system, and extreme care would have to be take not to interfere with the business in doing away with the "bucket shop" type of operation. We should study both the successes and failures of foreign legislators who, notably in Germany, have worked along this line, so as not to do anything harmful.

Moreover, there is a special difficulty in dealing with this matter by the Federal government in a Federal republic like ours. But if it is possible to devise a way to deal with it, the effort should be made, even if only in a cautious and tentative way. It would seem that the Federal government could at least act by forbidding the use of the mails, telegraph and telephone wires for mere gambling in stocks and futures just as it does in lottery transactions.

PRESENTS LETTERS.

I inclose herewith a statement issued by the chief of the Bureau of Corporations—(appendix 1)—in answer to certain statements (which I also inclose,) made by and on behalf of the agents of the Standard Oil corporation (appendix 2,) and a letter for the Attorney-General (appendix 3,) containing an answer to certain statements, also inclosed, made by the president of the Santa Fé Railroad (appendix 4.)

The Standard Oil corporation and railroad company have both been found guilty by the courts of criminal misconduct; both have been sentenced to pay heavy fines; and they have issued and published broadcast these statements asserting their innocence and announcing as improper the action of the courts and juries in convicting them of guilt. These statements are very elaborate and are very ingenious and are untruthful in import and the particulars.

The following letter and inclosure from Mr. Heney sufficiently illustrates the methods of the high officials of the Santa Fé and show the utter falsity of their plea of ignorance, the chief of the Standard Oil Company being equally without foundation:

"Department of Justice, Office of the District Attorney, District of Oregon:

PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 11, 1908.

"Dear Mr. President: I understand that Ripley of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fé Railway system has commented with severity upon your attitude toward the payment of rebates by certain transcontinental railroads and that he has declared that he personally never knew anything about rebates being granted by his road.

"I inclos. you herewith copy of a letter from Edward Chambers, general freight traffic manager of the Santa Fé, to C. A. Davidson, auditor of the same company, dated February 27, 1907.

"This letter does not deal with interstate shipments, but the constitution of California makes the payments of rebates by railroads a felony, and Mr. Ripley has apparently not been above the commission of crime to secure business. You are at liberty to use this inclosure in any way that you think it can be of service to yourself or the public.

"Sincerely yours,

"FRANCIS J. HENEY."

CHAMBERS'S LETTER.

"SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 7, 1907.

"Dear Sir: I hand you herewith a file of papers covering the movement of a shipment of fuel oil shipped by the Associated Oil Company over our line from January 1, 1906, up to and including November 15, 1906.

"We agreed with the Associated Oil Company's representatives, with Mr. Ripley, Mr. Wells and myself, that in consideration of their making us special prices on oil for company use, which is covered by a contract and a further consideration that we would take a certain quantity, they would in turn ship from Bakersfield over our line to San Francisco Bay points a certain minimum number of barrels of fuel oil at a rate of 25 cents per barrel from Bakersfield, exclusive of the switching charges.

"These statements cover the movement except that they have included Stockton, which is not correct, as it is not a Bay point and could not be reached as conveniently by water. We have paid them on account of this $7229, which should be deducted from the total of movement shown in the attached papers.

"I wish you would arrange to make up a statement, check the same and refund to the Associated Oil Company down to the basis of 25 cents per barrel from Bakersfield, where they are shippers, regardless of who is consignee, as all their fuel oil is sold delivered. The reason for making this deal, in addition to what I have stated, is that the Associated Oil Company have their own boats, and carry oil from fields controlled by themselves, along the coast near San Luis Obispo, to San Francisco, at a much lower cost than the special rate we have made them in competition with the Union Oil Company and the Standard Oil Company. It was necessary for them to sell at the San Francisco Bay points on the basis of the cost of water transportation from the coast fields.

"They figured they could only afford to pay us the 25 cents per barrel, if by doing this they sold our company a certain amount of fuel oil, otherwise their business covered by the attached papers would have come in by boats from the Coast fields.

"I am writing this up completely, so that there may be in the papers a history of the reason why this arrangement was made. I wish you would go ahead and make the adjustment as soon as possible, as the Associated Oil Company is very anxious to have the matter closed up. The arrangement was cancelled November 15, at a conference between Mr. Ripley, Mr. Wells, Mr. Porter and myself.

"Yours truly,

"EDWARD CHAMBERS."

"Shipments—Associated Oil Company, Mr. G. A. Davidson, auditor, Los Angeles."

CHARGES PLOT BY REACTIONARIES.

The attacks by these great corporations on the administration's actions had been given a wide circulation throughout the country, in the newspapers and otherwise, by those writers and speakers who consciously or unconsciously act as the representatives of predatory wealth—wealth accumulated on a giant scale by all forms of iniquity, ranging from the oppression of wage-workers to unfair and unwholesome methods of crushing out competition, and to defrauding the public by stock jobbing and the manipulation of securities.

Certain wealthy men of this stamp, whose conduct is abhorrent to every man of ordinarily decent conscience, and who commit the hideous wrong of teaching our young men that phenomenal business success must ordinarily be based on dishonesty, have during the last few months made it apparent that they have banded together to work for a reaction.

Their endeavor is to overthrow and discredit all who honestly administer the law, to prevent any additional legislation which would check and restrain them, and to secure, if possible, a freedom from all restraint which will permit every unscrupulous wrongdoer to do what he wishes unchecked, provided he has enough money.

The only way to counteract the movement in which these men are engaged is to make clear to the public just what they have done in the past and just what they are seeking to accomplish in the present.

The administration and those who support its views are not only not engaged in an assault on property, but are strenuous upholders of the rights of property. The wise attitude to take is admirably stated by Gov. Fort of New Jersey, in his recent inaugural address: The principles which he upholds as regards the State being, of course, identical with those which should obtain as regards the nation.

Just and fair regulation can only be objected to by those misconceiving the rights of the State. The State grants all corporate powers, such as railroads and other public utility corporations, and may not only modify but repeal all charters and charter privileges it confers. You may, therefore, impose conditions upon their operation at your pleasure. Of course, in the doing of these things you should act wisely and with conservatism, protecting all vested rights of property and the interests of the holders of the securities of existing quasi-public corporations.

REGULATION PLAN.

Regulations, therefore, upon a wise basis of the operation of these public utilities companies, including the fixing of rates and public charges, upon complaint and subject to court review, should be intrusted to a proper board, as well as the right to regulate the output of stock and the bonded issues of such corporations. If this were done, it would inure to the benefit of the people and the companies, for it would fix the value of such securities and act as a guaranty against their depreciation.

Under such a law, the holders of existing securities would find them protected, and new securities offered would have the confidence of the people, because of the guaranty of the State that they were issued only for extensions or betterments and upon some basis of the cost of such extensions or betterments.

It is difficult to suggest any legislation that would give greater confidence to the public and investors than a wise public utilities bill; but the mere suggestion of its enactment should cause this class of securities-holders to feel that their holdings were strengthened, and that the State was able to aid the managers of its public utility corporations to conserve their corporate property for the public benefit, and for the protection of invested capital.

The time has come for the strict supervision of these great corporations and the limitation of their stock and bond issues, under some proper power. It will make for conservatism and strength on the companies doing a legitimate business, and eliminate, let us hope, those which are merely speculative in character and organized simply to catch the unsuspecting or credulous investor.

Corporations have come into our business world to remain for all time. Corporate methods are the most satisfactory for these purposes in many cases. Business or enterprise honestly incorporated should be protected and the public made to feel confidence in its corporate organization. Capital invested in corporations must be as free from wrongful attack as that invested by individuals, and the State should do everything to foster and protect invested corporate capital and encourage the public in giving to it support and confidence.

GUARANTY OF SECURITIES.

Nothing will do so much to achieve this desirable result as proper supervision and reasonable control over stock and bond issues, so that overcapitalization will be prevented and the people may know when they buy a share of stock or a bond that the name of the State upon it stands as a guaranty that there is value behind it and reasonable safety in its purchase.

The act must make it clear that the intent of the supervision by the commission is not for the purpose of striking at corporate organizations or invested corporate capital, but rather to recognize and protect existing conditions and insure greater safety for the future.

Capital does not go into a State where reprisals are taken or vested interests are injured; it comes only where wise, conservative safe treatment is assured, and it should be our policy to encourage and secure corporate rights and the best interests of stock and bond holders committed to our legal care.

Under no circumstances would we countenance attacks upon law-abiding property, or do aught but condemn those who hold up rich men as being evil men because of their riches. On the contrary, our whole effort is to insist upon conduct, and neither wealth nor property, nor any other class distinction, as being the proper standard by which to judge the actions of men. For the honest man of great wealth we have a hearty regard, just as we have a hearty regard for the honest politician and the honest newspaper. But part of the movement to uphold honesty must be a movement to frown on dishonesty.

We attack only the corrupt men of wealth, who find in the purchased politician the most efficient instrument of corruption, and in the purchased newspaper the most efficient defender of corruption. Our main quarrel is not with the agents and representatives of the interests. They derive their chief power from the great sinister offenders who stand behind them. They are but puppets who move as the strings are pulled. It is not the puppets, but the strong cunning men and the mighty forces working for evil behind and through the puppets, with whom we have to deal.

FEARS RADICALISM.

We seek to control wealth in the first place and prevent its doing dire evil to the republic, and in the next place to avoid the vindictive and dreadful radicalism which, if left uncontrolled, it is certain in the end to arouse.

Sweeping attacks upon all property, upon all men of means, without regard whether they do well or ill, would sound the death knell of the republic; but such attacks become inevitable if decent citizens permit those men in high places whose lives are corrupt and evil to domineer in swollen pride, unchecked, unhindered, over the destinies of this country.

We act in no vindictive spirit, and we are no respecters of persons. If a labor union does wrong, we oppose it as firmly as we oppose a corporation which does wrong; and we stand equally stoutly for the rights of the man of wealth and for the rights of the wage worker. We seek to protect the property of every man who acts honestly, of every corporation that represents wealth honestly accumulated and honestly used. We seek to stop wrongdoing, and we desire to punish the wrongdoers only so far as is necessary to achieve this end.

There are ample material rewards for those who serve with fidelity the mammon of unrighteousness; but they are dearly paid for by the people who permit their representatives, whether in public life or in the colleges where young men are taught, to preach and to practice that there is one law for the rich and another for the poor.

PRESS BUREAU.

The amount of money the representatives of certain great moneyed interests are willing to spend can be gauged by their recent publication broadcast throughout the papers of this country, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, of huge advertisements attacking with envenomed bitterness the administration's policy of warring against successful dishonesty, and by their circulation of pamphlets and books prepared with the same object; while of the writings and speeches of men, whether because they are misled, or whether because, seeing the light, they yet are waiting to sin against the light, serve their masters of great wealth to the cost of the plain people.

The books and pamphlets, the newspapers, the speeches by public or private men to which I refer, are usually and especially in the interests of the Standard—Oil trust and of certain notorious railroad combinations, but they also defend other individuals and corporations of great wealth that have been guilty of wrongdoing. It is only rarely that the men responsible for the wrongdoing themselves speak or write. Normally they hire others to do their bidding or find others who will do it without hire.

From the railroad rate law to the pure food law, every measure for honesty in business that has been passed during the last six years has been opposed by these men on its passage by this administration with every resource that bitter and unscrupulous craft could suggest, and at command of most unlimited money secure. But for the past year the attack has been made with most bitterness upon the actual administration of the law, especially through the Department of Justice, but also through the Interstate Commerce Commission and the Bureau of Corporations.

PLANS OF ATTACK.

The extraordinary violence of the assaults upon our policy contained in these speeches, editorials, articles, advertisements and pamphlets, and the enormous sums of money spent in these various ways, give a fairly accurate measure of the anger and terror which our public actions have caused the corrupt men of vast wealth to feel in the very marrow of their being.

The attack is sometimes made openly against us for enforcing the law, and sometimes with a certain cunning, for not trying to enforce it in some other way than that in which experience shows it to be practicable. One of the favorable methods of the latter class of assailants is to attack the administration for not procuring the imprisonment instead of the fine of offenders under the anti-trust laws. The man making this assault is usually either a prominent lawyer, or an editor who takes his policy from the financiers, and his arguments from the attorneys.

If the former, he has defended and advised many wealthy malefactors, and he knows well that, thanks to the advice of lawyers like himself, a certain kind of modern corporation has been turned into an admirable instrument by which to render it well-nigh impossible to get at the head of the corporation, at the man who is really most guilty.

When we are able to put the real wrongdoer in prison, this is what we strive to do, that is what we have actually done with some very wealthy criminals, who, moreover, represented that most baneful of all alliances, the alliance between the corruption of organized politics and the corruption of high finance.

This is what we have done in the Gaynor and Greene case, in the case of the misapplication of funds in connection with certain great banks in Chicago, in the land fraud cases, where, as in other cases, likewise, neither the highest political position nor the possession of great wealth availed to save the offenders from prison.

BIDS SINNERS FEAR.

The Federal government does discourage sin; it does bid sinners fear, for it has put behind the bars with impartial severity the powerful financier, the powerful politician, the rich land thief, the rich contractor, all, no matter how high their station, against whom criminal misdeeds can be proved. All their wealth and power cannot protect them.

But it oftener happens that the effort to imprison a given defendant is certain to be futile, while it is possible to fine him or to fine the corporation of which he is head; so that, in other words, the only way of punishing the wrong is by fining the corporation, unless we are content to proceed personally against the minor agent.

The corporation lawyers to whom I refer and their employers are the men mainly responsible for this state of things, and their responsibility is shared with all who ingeniously oppose the passage of just and effective laws, or who fail to execute them when they have been put on the statute books.

Much is said, in these attacks upon the present administration, about the rights of innocent stockholders. The stockholders are not innocent who voluntarily purchase stock in a corporation whose methods and management they know to be corrupt; and stockholders are bound to try to secure honest management, or else are stopped from complaining about the proceedings the government finds necessary in order to compel the corporation to obey the law.

PREVENT AND PUNISH.

There has been in the past grave wrong done innocent stockholders by over-capitalization, stock watering, stock jobbing, stock manipulation. This we have sought to prevent, first by exposing the thing and punishing the offender when any existing law had been violated; second, by recommending the passage of laws which would make unlawful similar practices for the future.

The public men, lawyers and editors, who loudly proclaim their sympathy for the "innocent stockholders," when some great law-defying corporation is punished, are the first to protest with frantic vehemence, against all effort by law to put a stop to the practices which are the real and ultimate sources of damage alike to the stockholders and the public.

The apologies of successful dishonesty always proclaim against any effort to furnish or prevent it on the ground that any such effort will "unsettle business." It is they, who, by their acts, have unsettled business and the very men raising this cry spend hundreds of thousands of dollars in securing, by speech, editorial or pamphlet, the defense by mis-statements of what they have done, and yet, when public servants correct their misstatements by telling the truth, they declaim against them for breaking silence lest "values be depreciated."

They have hurt the honest business men, honest working men, honest farmers and now they clamor against the truth being told. The keynote of all these attacks upon efforts to secure honesty in business and in policies is well expressed in brazen protests against any effort for the moral regeneration of the business world, on the ground that it is unnatural, unwarranted, and injurious, and that business panic is the necessary penalty, for such efforts to secure business honesty.

COMPARED TO GAMBLERS.

The morality of such a plea is precisely as great as if made on behalf of the men caught in a gambling house when the establishment is raided by the police. If such words mean anything they mean that those whose sentiments they represent stand against the effort to bring about a moral regeneration of business which will prevent a repetition in the insurance, banking and political scandal in New York; a repetition of the Chicago Alton deal; a repetition of the alliance between certain professional politicians and certain professional labor leaders and certain big financiers, from the grasp of which San Francisco has been rescued; a repetition of the successful effort by the Standard Oil people to crush out every competitor, overawe the common carriers, and establish a monopoly which treats the public with a contempt which the public deserves so long as it permits the existence of such principles and such men to avow and act on them with impunity.

The outcry against stopping these practices among the wrongdoers who happen to be wealthy is precisely similar to the outcry raised against every effort for cleanliness and decency in city government, because, forsooth, it will "hurt business."

The same outcry is made against the department of justice for prosecuting the heads of colossal corporations that has been made against the men in San Francisco have prosecuted with impartial severity the wrongdoers among business, public officials and labor leaders alike. The principle is the same in the two cases.

Just as the blackmailer and the boodler stand on the same evil eminence of infamy, so the man who makes his enormous fortune by corrupting legislatures and municipalities and fleecing the stockholders and the public stand on the same moral level with the creature who fattens on the blood money of the gambler and the saloon-keeper.

BAD BUSINESS AND BAD POLITICS.

Moreover, in the last analysis, both kinds of corruption are far more intimately connected than would at first sight appear; the wrongdoing is at bottom the same. Corrupt business and corrupt politics act and react upon each other; the corrupt head of a corporation and the corrupt labor leader are both in the same degree the enemies of honest corporations and honest labor organizations; the rebate giver, the franchise trafficker, the manipulator of securities, the purveyor and protector of vice, the blackmailing ward boss, the ballot box stuffer, the demagogue, the mob leader, the hired bully and the man killer—all alike work at the same web of corruption, and all alike should be abhorred by honest men.

The "business" which is hurt by the movement for honesty is the kind of business which, in the long run, injures the country to have hurt. It is the kind of business which has enabled to make the very name "high finance" a term of scandal to which all honest American men of business should refuse to put their name.

The pleaders for business dishonesty in denouncing the present administration for enforcing the law against the huge and corrupt corporations which have defied the law, also denounce it for endeavoring to secure needful legislation, such as a far-reaching law making employers liable for injuries to their employés.

It is meet and fit that the apologists for corrupt wealth should oppose every effort to relieve weak and helpless people from crushing misfortune brought upon them by injury in the business from which they gain a bare livelihood.

AS TO CONTRACTS.

The burden should be distributed, as it is hypocritical business to speak of a girl who works in a factory where the dangerous machinery is unprotected, as having the "right" freely to contract to expose herself to dangers to life and limb, she has no alternative but to suffer want or else to expose herself to such dangers, and when she loses a hand or is otherwise maimed, or disfigured for life, it is a moral wrong that the whole burden of the risk necessarily incidental to the business should be placed with crushing weight upon her weak shoulders, and all who profit by her work escape scot free.

This is what opponents of a just employers' liability law advocate; and it is certain that they should usually also advocate immunity for those most dangerous members of the criminal class—the criminals of great wealth.

Our opponents have recently been bitterly criticising the two judges referred to in the accompanying communications from the Standard Oil Company and the Santa Fé Railroad for having imposed heavy fines on these two corporations, and yet the same critics of these two judges exhaust themselves in denouncing the most respectful and cautious discussion of the official action of a judge which results in immunity to wealth and to powerful wrongdoers, or which renders nugatory a temporary effort to better the conditions of life and work among those of our fellow-countrymen whose need is greatest.

Most certainly it behooves us all to treat with the utmost respect the high office of judge, and our judges, as a whole, are brave and upright men. Respect for the law must go hand in hand with respect for the judge; and as a whole, it is true now as in the past, that the judges stand in character and service above all other of their fellow-servants for the public.

There is all the greater need that the few who fail in this great office, who follow high standards of integrity, of wisdom, of sympathetic understanding and of courage, should have their eyes opened to the needs of their countrymen.

RESPECT OF JURISTS.

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The judge who does his full duty will stand the higher and does a better service to the people than any other public servant; he is entitled to greatest respect, and if he is a true servant of the people; if he is upright and fearless, he will unhesitatingly disregard even the wishes of the people if they conflict with the eternal principles of right as against wrong. He must serve the people; but he must serve his own conscience first. All honor, to such a judge.

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York; a repetition of the Chicago and Alton deal; a repetition of the alliance between certain professional politicians, certain professional labor leaders and certain big financiers, from the disgrace of which San Francisco has just been rescued; a repetition of the successful effort by the Standard Oil people to crush out every competitor, to overawe the common carriers, and to establish a monopoly which treats the public with a contempt which the public deserves so long as it permits men of such principles and such sentiments to avow and act on them with impunity.

The outcry against stopping dishonest practices among the wrongdoers who happen to be wealthy is precisely similar to the outcry raised against every effort for cleanliness and decency in city government, because, forsooth, it will "hurt business."

The same outcry is made against the department of justice for prosecuting the heads of colossal corporations that has been made against the men who in San Francisco have prosecuted with impartial severity the wrongdoers among business, public officials and labor leaders alike. The principle is the same in the two cases.

Just as the blackmailer and bribegiver stand on the same evil eminence of infamy, so the man who makes an enormous fortune by corrupting Legislatures and municipalities and fleecing the stockholders and the public, stand on the same moral level with the creature who fattens on the blood money of the gambler and the saloon.

BAD BUSINESS AND BAD POLITICS.

Moreover, in the last analysis, both kinds of corruption are far more intimately connected than would at first sight appear; the wrongdoing is at bottom the same. Corrupt business and corrupt politics act and react with every increasing debasement one on the other; the corrupt head of a corporation and the corrupt labor leader are both in the same degree the enemies of honest corporations and honest labor organizations; the rebate giver, the franchise trafficker, the manipulator of securities, the purveyor and protector of vice, the blackmailing ward boss, the ballot box stuffer, the demagogue, the mob leader, the hired bully and man-killer—all alike work at the same web of corruption, and all alike should be abhorred by honest men.

The "business" which is hurt by the movement for honesty is the kind of business which, in the long run, it pays the country to have hurt. It is the kind of business which has tended to make the very name "high finance" a term of scandal to which all honest American men of business should join in putting an end.

The pleaders for business dishonesty, in denouncing the present administration for enforcing the law against the huge and corrupt corporations which have defied the law, also denounce it for endeavoring to secure sadly-needed labor legislation, such, as a far-reaching law making employers liable for injuries to their employes.

It is meet and fit that the apologists for corrupt wealth should oppose every effort to relieve weak and helpless people from crushing misfortune brought upon them by injury in the business from which they gain a bare livelihood.

AS TO CONTRACTS.

The burden should be distributed, as it is hypocritical business to speak of a girl who works in a factory when the dangerous machinery is unprotected, as having the "right" freely to contract to expose herself to dangers to life and limb, she has no alternative but to suffer want or else to expose herself to such dangers, and when she loses a hand or is otherwise maimed, or disfigured for life, it is a moral wrong that the whole burden of the risk necessarily incidental to the business should be placed with crushing weight upon her weak shoulders, and all who profit by her work escape scot free.

This is what opponents of a just employers' liability law advocate; and it is consistent that they should usually also advocate immunity for those most dangerous members of the criminal class—the criminals of great wealth.

Our opponents have recently been bitterly criticising the two judges referred to in the accompanying communications from the Standard Oil Company, and the Santa Fé Railroad for having imposed heavy fines on these two corporations, and yet the same critics of these two judges exhaust themselves in denouncing the most respectful and cautious discussion of the official action of a judge which results in immunity to wealth and to powerful wrongdoers, or which renders nugatory a temporary effort to better the conditions of life and work among those of our fellow-countrymen whose need is greatest.

Most certainly it behooves us all to treat with the utmost respect the high office of judge, and our judges, as a whole, are brave and upright men. Respect for the law must go hand in hand with respect for the judge; and as a whole, it is true now as in the past, that the judges stand in character and service above all other of their fellow-servants for the public.

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ECONOMIC SIDE.

The opponents of the measure we champion single out no one measure for especial attack, and speak as if the movement in which we are engaged was purely economic. It has a large economic side, but it is fundamentally an ethical movement. It is not a movement to be completed in one year, or two or three years; it is a movement which must be persevered in until the spirit which lies behind it sinks deep into the heart and the conscience of the whole people.

It is always important to choose the right means to achieve our purpose, but it is even more important to keep this purpose clear before us, and this purpose is to secure honesty in business and politics. We do not subscribe to the cynical belief that dishonesty and unfair dealings are essential to business success, and are to be condoned when the success is moderate and applauded when the success is great.

The method by which the Standard Oil people and those engaged in the other combinations of which I have spoken of above have achieved great fortunes, can only be justified by the advocacy of a system of morality which would also justify every form of criminality on the part of a labor union, and every form of violence, corruption and fraud, from murder to bribery, and ballot-box stuffing in politics.

We are trying to secure equality of opportunity for all; and the struggle for honesty is the same, whether it is made on behalf of one set of men or another. In the interest of the small settlers and land owners, and against the embittered opposition of wealthy owners of huge wandering flocks of sheep, or of corporations desiring to rob the people of coal and timber, we strive to put an end to the theft of public land in the West.

When we do this, and protest against the action of all men, whether in public life or in private life, who either take part in or refuse to try to stop such theft, we are really engaged in the same policy as when we endeavor to put a stop to rebates or to prevent the upgrowth of uncontrollable monopolies. Our effort is simply to enforce the principles of common honesty and common sense. It would indeed be ill for the country should there be any halt in our work.

JUSTICE FOR ALL.

The laws must in the future be administered as they are now being administered, so that the Department of Justice may continue to be what it is now, in very fact the Department of Justice, where so far as our ability permits, justice is meted out with an even hand to great and small, rich and poor, weak and strong.

Moreover, there should be no delay in supplementing the laws now on the statute books by the enactment of further legislation as outlined in the message I sent to the Congress on its assembling.

Under the existing laws much, very much, has been actually accomplished during the past six years, and it has been shown by actual experience that they can be enforced against the wealthiest corporation and the richest and most powerful manager or manipulator of that corporation, as rigorously and fearlessly as against the humblest offender.

Above all, they have been enforced again the very wrongdoer and agents of wrongdoers who have for so many years gone scot free and flouted the laws with immunity; against great law-defying corporations of immense wealth, which until within the last half dozen years have treated themselves and have expected others to treat them as being beyond and above all possible check from law.

It is especially necessary to secure to the representatives of the national government full power to deal with the great corporations engaged in interstate commerce, and, above all, with the great interstate common carriers. And the people should clearly recognize that while there are difficulties in any course of conduct to be followed in dealing with these great corporations, this difficulty must be faced, and one of three courses followed.

The first course is to abandon all effort to oversee and control their actions in the interest of the general public, and to permit a return to the utter lack of control which would obtain if they are left to the common law. I do not for one moment believe that our people would tolerate this position. The extraordinary growth of modern industrialism has rendered the common law, which grew up under and was adopted to deal with totally different conditions, in many respects inadequate to deal with the new conditions.

WOULD SHACKLE CUNNING.

The new conditions make it necessary to shackle cunning, as in the past we have shackled force. The vast individual and corporate fortunes, the vast combinations of capital which have marked the development of our industrial system, create new conditions and necessitate a change from the old attitude of the State and the nation toward the rules regulating the acquisition and untrammeled business use of property, in order both that property may be adequately protected and that at the same time those who hold it may be prevented from wrong doing.

The second and third courses are to have the regulation undertaken either by the nation or by the States. Of course, in any event both the national government and the several State governments may do each its part, and each can do a certain amount that the other cannot do, while the only really satisfactory results must be obtained by the representatives of the national and State governments working heartily together within their respective spheres.

But in my judgment thoroughgoing and satisfactory control can be obtained only by the action of the national government, for almost all the corporations of enormous wealth—that is, the corporations which it is especially desirable to control—are engaged in interstate commerce and derive their power and their importance, not from that portion of their business which is interstate, but from the interstate business.

It is not easy always to decide just where the line of demarcation between the two kinds does fall. This line must ultimately be drawn by the Federal courts. Much of the effort to secure adequate control of the great corporations by State action has been wise and effective, but much of it has been neither; for, when the effort is made to accomplish by the action of the State what can only be accomplished by the action of the nation, the result can only be disappointing, and in the end the law will probably be declared unconstitutional.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE.

In a recent letter from a learned judge of the Supreme Court of one of the Gulf States the writer speaks as follows:

"In all matters pertaining to interstate commerce, the authority of the national government already exists and does not have to be acquired, and the exercise of this existing authority can be in no sense a usurpation of or infringement upon the rights of the States.

"On the contrary, had the Federal government given this question more attention in the past and applied a vigorous check to corporate abuses, conditions would now be better, because the States would have had fewer real or imaginery grievances and have had less cause not only to attempt the exercise of the authority reserved to the national government, but to act without proper moderation in matters peculiarly within their own province.

"The national government has been remiss in the past, but even at this late day it can solve this problem, and the sooner the national authority is exercised the less apt are the States to take action which will represent encroachment upon the national domain. There is a field of operations for both powers, and plenty alike for national and State governments to do in order to protect both the people and the public utilities.

The line of demarcation between Federal and State authority can and should be speedily settled by the Federal courts. The fact that the national government has omitted to exercise the authority conferred upon it by the interstate commerce clause of the Constitution has made the States restive under what they deem corporate abuses, and in some cases has probably stimulated them to go too far in the attempt to correct these abuses, with the result that all measures which they passed, good or bad, have been held up by the Federal courts. The necessary equitable and uniform regulation cannot be obtained by the separate action of the States, but only by the affirmative action of the national government.

QUESTION OF JURISDICTION.

This is a statement by a high State judge, alarmed, as good citizens should be alarmed, by conflicts over the matter of jurisdiction and by the radical action advocated by honest people smarting from a sense of injury received from corporations; which injury the Federal courts forbid the States to try to remedy, while the Federal government nevertheless refrains from itself taking adequate measures to provide a remedy.

It cannot too strongly be insisted that the defenders and apologists of the great corporations, who have sought in the past and still seek to prevent adequate action by the Federal government to control these great corporations, are not only proving false to the people, but are laying up a day of wrath for the great corporations themselves.

The nation will not tolerate an utter lack of control over very wealthy men of enormous wealth in the industrial, and therefore in the social lives of all our people, some of whom have shown themselves cynically and brutally indifferent to the interests of the people, and if the Congress does not act with good tempered and sensible but resolute thoroughness in cutting out the evils and in providing an effective supervision, the result is certain to be action on the part of the separate States, sometimes wise, sometimes ill judged and extreme, sometimes unjust and damaging to the railroads, or other corporations, more often ineffective from every standpoint, because the Federal courts declare it unconstitutional.

POINT LESSONS OF LATE PANIC.

We have just passed through two months of acute financial stress. At any such time it is a sad fact that entirely innocent people suffer from no fault of their own, and every one must feel the keenest sympathy for the large body of honest business men, of honest investors, of honest wage earners who suffer because involved in a crash for which they are in no way responsible.

At such a time there is a natural tendency on the part of many men to feel gloomy and frightened at the outlook; but there is no justification for this feeling. There is no nation so absolutely sure of ultimate success as ours. Of course we shall succeed. Ours is a nation of masterful energy, with a continent for its domain and it feels within its veins the thrill which comes to those who know that they possess the future. We are not cast down by fear of failure. We are upheld by the confidence of ultimate triumph.

The wrongs that exist are to be corrected, but they in no way justify doubt as to the final outcome, doubt as to the great material prosperity of the future, nor of the lofty spiritual life which is to be built upon that prosperity as a foundation. No misdeeds done in the present must be permitted to shroud from our eyes the glorious future of the nation; but because of this very fact it behooves us never to swerve from our resolute purpose to cut out wrong-doing and uphold what is right.

I do not for a moment believe that the actions of this administration have brought on business distress; so far as this is due to local and not world-wide causes, and to the actions of any particular individuals, it is due to the speculative folly and flagrant dishonesty of a few men of great wealth, who seek to shield themselves from the effects of their own wrong-doing by ascribing its acts to the actions of those who have sought to put a stop to the wrong-doing.

WOULD USE KNIFE.

But if it were true that to cut out rottenness from the body politic meant a momentary check to an unhealthy seeming prosperity, I should not for one moment hesitate to put the knife to the corruption. On behalf of all our people, on behalf no less of the honest man of means and the honest man who earns each day's livelihood by that day's sweat of his brow, it is necessary to insist upon honesty in business and politics alike, in all walks of life, in big things and in little things; upon just and fair dealings as between man and man.

Those who demand this are striving for the right—the right of Abraham Lincoln, when he said: "Fondly do we hope, fervently do we pray, that this mighty scourge may speedily pass away. Yet, if God wills that it continue until all the wealth piled by the bondsman's 250 years of unrequited toil shall be sunk, and until every drop of blood drawn with the lash shall be paid by another drawn with the sword, as was said 3000 years ago, so still it must be said, 'the judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.'

"With malice toward none, with charity for all, with firmness and right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in."

In the work we of this generation are in, there is, thanks be to the Almighty, no danger of bloodshed and no use for the sword; but there is grave need of these stern qualities shown alike by the men of the North and the South in the dark days when each valiantly battled for the right as it was given each to see the light. Their spirit should be our spirit as we strive to bring nearer the day when greed and trickery and cunning shall be trampled under foot by those who fight for the righteousness that exalteth a nation.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT,
The White House, Jan. 31, 1908.

MORE OF SAME.

BIG STICK TO SWING AGAIN.

PRESIDENT PREPARES LETTER ON APPOINTMENTS.

Will Deny That Administration Has Used Patronage to Further Cause of Secretary Taft, but Will Charge Fairbanks, Cannon and Knox With Playing Politics.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The excitement aroused by the President's special message to Congress today will be duplicated within a few days by the publication of a letter from the President to William Dudley Foulke of Richmond, Ind., on the subject of nominations sent to the Senate.

There have been charges that the President has used his power to appoint to boost the political future of Secretary Taft. Foulke had been chairman of the Civil Service Commission. He read the charges made by Senators, and came on from Indiana to investigate. He saw the President and the Secretary of War, and went home to await a letter that he had reason to believe would arrive by an early mail.

Some intimation of the contents of this letter was made public by the White House today, but the White House gives knowing intimation that what has been printed in no way subtracts from the value of the letter, when its text shall be put before the people. In other words, the letter will be "hot stuff."

It begins with a general denial that the White House has used its prerogative to perpetuate its policies.

"But," it will say, "on the contrary, several of the critical Senators have procured the appointment of personal friends who have recently so far forgot themselves as to neglect their office duties and go out canvassing for the men who made them."

These charges will include Messrs. Knox of Pennsylvania, Cannon of Illinois and Vice-President Fairbanks of Indiana. The letter also says that recommendations made by Senator Foraker of Ohio were rejected by the White House only because the present incumbents have shown efficiency, and that the Foraker recommendations were made for political purposes.

In brief, the Roosevelt letter to Mr. Foulke is not a defense, but an attack. A request at the White House today that the text of the letter be made public was denied. It was felt that the message reiterating the President's purpose to war on the criminal rich would "hold them for a while." The Foulke letter is supposed to be what may be called a clincher.

SOME PREDICT BAD EFFECTS ABROAD.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As far as the course of the stock market displayed Wall street opinion there was nothing in the movement of prices today to indicate that the street was concerned one way or the other over the President's special message to Congress.

The indications of indifference furnished by the prices of the day were, however, deceptive, for every prominent financier had a very accurate digest of the message the day before yesterday. On that day the market went down.

The principal feature expressed by bankers today was that the message would have a damaging effect on sentiment abroad. They recalled the fact that the Provincetown speech last August was followed by very heavy selling of securities for the account of foreigners, and it was feared that the special message would have the same result. The majority of foreign investors abroad, these bankers said, consider the utterances of the President as effective as the utterances, for instance, of the Kaiser or any other foreign ruler. They know that if the Kaiser gave expression to such sentiments they would have the entire weight of the government behind them, and they consider that there is equal weight in the President's message.

The same bankers considered that since the message discriminated very little between the many corporations and railroads, since it did not separate the sheep from the goats, it would have a tendency to discourage investment in American securities here as well as abroad. Indiscriminate denunciation, they said, must retard the time when money again seeks investment in American enterprises and diminishes the ability of railroads and other corporations to undertake new enterprises and give employment to labor at high rates of wages.

The criticism of the Standard Oil Company is quite as popular in many circles of Wall street as in any other section of the country. If that had been the only subject for denunciation no uneasiness, it was said, would be felt. The Standard Oil party has not a tithe of the strength it once had in financial circles. No development regarding the company could be of enduring market importance.

BRYAN'S COMMENTS ARE COMPLIMENTARY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WILMINGTON (Del.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The special message which President Roosevelt sent to Congress was read with special interest by W. J. Bryan upon his arrival here this afternoon.

Mr. Bryan, who had secured a copy of the document before leaving Washington, partially went through it en route on a Pennsylvania Railroad train, but he completed the reading and considered the most salient portions after reaching Wilmington. He spoke at a Democratic mass-meeting in the Nixon and Zimmerman Operahouse tonight and also made an address at a banquet afterwards in German Hall.

He came to Wilmington upon the invitation of the Democratic League. Seated in the office of Street and Sewer Commissioner Gray, whose guest he is while here, and surrounded by Willard Saulsbury, the Democratic leader; ex-Congressman Irving Handy and Howell S. England, the latter a Democratic lawyer, Mr. Bryan read the message aloud.

Frequently he stopped to compare passages therein with previous Democratic doctrine. The phrase "predatory wealth" used by the President was considered by him as an acceptation by President Roosevelt of the words so often used by Bryan in previous campaigns.

Bryan expressed himself as being most pleased with the message. He was of the opinion that the effect would be beneficial to the Democrats in the national campaign this year, as following out in many respects the principles of the Democratic party.

At the mass-meeting Mr. Bryan said:

"When you read the President's message you will understand why the applause in Congress today was more hearty from the Democratic side than on the Republican side. Wall street learns from today's message that it cannot trust the President."

Mr. Bryan's reference to the President was altogether complimentary.

"I cannot help expressing my gratitude to him," he said.

CHANCELLOR DAY AIRS OPINIONS ON MESSAGE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SYRACUSE (N. Y.) Jan. 31.—Chancellor James R. Day of Syracuse University, discussing President Roosevelt, said:

"Of the President's message, if I am entirely honest and frank, I am compelled to say that much of it reads like the ravings of a disordered mind, and other portions, in which appeal is made to class prejudice and excitement, are large with the suggestion of the adroit and cunning, the shrewd but reckless demagogue.

"The whole message is his familiar ranting against what he calls 'criminal wealth,' and it proceeds under the slanderous assumption that so great a per cent. of the corporate business of this country is so corrupt as to demand special messages to Congress, popular harangues by the President, and, the entire time, ability and effort of Congress in a volume of corrective legislation such as the world has never seen.

SQUARE DEAL FARCE.

"It is wrong, a great wickedness, for the Standard Oil Company to defend itself, but there is no impropriety in the President's assailing this corporation by name and defaming it and slandering it with all the envenomed influence of his great office, while its cause is still undecided in the higher courts. The square deal has long been a farce and this inconsistency seems to have escaped Mr. Roosevelt's ethical standard, of which he makes so much.

"As I am one of those 'hired' book writers referred to, a personal word may be permitted. Not a nickel or dime was ever offered to me by any person, company or corporation for a sentence or a paragraph in print in any shape or form whatever. No such party knew a syllable contained in my book until it was published.

"I was warned that if I wrote my reputation would be assailed by the President and every unworthy motive would be charged against me. I have been accused of personal pique and revenge. I am now charged with selling my character and bartering my reputation for pay to a cause that I know to be corrupt. When one hears the high source of such a slander, can one imagine a much lower descent of vituperation or a more astounding use of the perogatives of the highest office and influence of our land?

INDECENT SLANDER.

"These are strange times when American citizens are to be assailed under cover of a message to Congress for exercising their inalienable right of discussion of the 'policies' and the acts of the administration of the country. If this liberty is to be taken from the people what is there left of the democracy of which we boast?

"What better are we than Russia? When a President of the United States will descend to such indecent slander and other assaults by innuendo upon the honor of his fellow-citizens whose reputations for honor and high moral ideals are as firmly established as his own, we are left to one of several possible inferences. We will try to take the one that is most charitable."

Train Discontinued.

Effective Sunday, February 2, Santa Fe local train No. 46, which leaves Los Angeles at 10:30 a.m. for San Bernardino and Redlands, via Pasadena, will be discontinued until further notice.

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2 to 10-yard lengths.

A Further Drop in Prices

Saturday, the last day of the mill remnant sale, winding up a week of phenomenal selling—a harvest of bargains. Many new price attractions to make today a banner trading day.

Come early if you can. Investigate the bargains on the tables that are not advertised.

Box Stationery 10c and 15c Values 7½c
Special assortment of box stationery, worth 10c and 15c; a big value at that. Today, 7½c. Aisle 5.

15c Souvenir Tablet 9c

Women's Shoes and Oxfords..... $2.48
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Bright new styles in women's high grade footwear; high or low cut; several hundred pairs; Goodyear welted or hand-turned soles; Oxfords are in one-button sailor tie, Gibson or Blucherette pattern; patent kid or plain leather. Footwear that sells in the regular way at $3.50 and $4 for a big Saturday sale at $2.48.
Men's $3.00 Shoes A Saturday Sale..... $1.98
A great quantity of shoes from a prominent Eastern dealer; smart footwear of patent colt skin, velour and box calf, as well as vici kid; Goodyear welted shoes, lace and Blucher styles; shoes that are featured in exclusive stores at $3. For a great Saturday sale $1.98. Aisle 9.

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A 40-page paper covered book containing eight songs. Also the famous "Merry Widow" waltz. The music of this opera is making the hit of the season. In New York now they are turning away hundreds of people at every performance. This is a big scoop for our music department that we are able to offer this extraordinary special value today 19c
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The greatest game of the age; 25c, 50c, 75c and $1.25. Second floor.
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100 of Them Worth up to $6.50.....
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One of the most important skirt events we've heralded in many a day. Just 100 of them; made of panamas, brilliantines and novelty mixtures. Full pleated skirts; also plain blue and blacks, as well as invisible checks. Come and share in this great Saturday value. None sent C.O.D. They shouldn't last throughout the day at the price.

Women's $1.25 Wash Petticoats 79c
Light blue wash petticoats; very full made with deep accordion pleated flounce. Here in time for Saturday selling, 79c. Second floor.

Juvenile Coats $6 to $9 Values $4.95
Children's and misses' long coats; dark and light plaids and novelty mixtures; about 50 of them worth from $6 to $9 regularly. As long as they last today $4.95 each. Second floor.

$1.50 and $1.75 Pleated Wrappers..... $1.25
Comfortable for cool mornings; they're worth $1.50 and $1.75. An extra for today, $1.25. Second floor.

Small Lot of Feather Boas Worth $3.50 to $7.50 Each..... $1.98
Good lengths; just ten of them that are easily worth from $3.50 to $7.50. Here in white, sky blue, gray and brown; three and one strand; both coque and feather boas. While they last today, aisle 2, $1.98.

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J. ABRAMSON
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Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best: we pay him.

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OUT OF HIS RECOLLECTION.

Former Auditor of Santa Fe Declines to Discuss Matter of Chamber's Letter.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 31.—When shown the letter from Edward Chambers to himself as contained in the President's message, delivered to Congress today, C. A. Davidson, former auditor of the Santa Fe Railroad and now president of the Southern California Trust Company of this city, said:

"I have no recollection as to the matter referred to, and, as I am now out of Santa Fé service, am unable to give any advices in regard thereto."

He would make no further statement.

NO DUCATS FOR THE DUKE.

Papa Shonts Makes Statement Relative to Approaching Marriage of His Daughter.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A prenuptial agreement has been signed by Miss Theodora Shonts, daughter of Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Interborough Company, and the Duc de Chaulnes, the young French nobleman to whom she will be married February 15, in the Shonts home, No. 123 East Thirty-fifth street. This contract was brief and there was no mention in it either of a marriage settlement or dowry. The document was signed by Mr. and Mrs. Shonts, as their daughter is a minor. Paul D. Cravath was the lawyer who drew up the agreement.

"The marriage of Miss Shonts and the Duke will be according to the customs of this and no other country," said Mr. Shonts today. "No question of a settlement on the Duke has arisen as an issue and none will. I am saying this regretfully, because such subjects never arise when the bridegroom is an American."

"Not a dollar will be settled on me by Mr. Shonts," said the Duc de Chaulnes. "The subject has not been even suggested. The contract which my fiancée and I signed Tuesday was purely a formal legal proceeding necessary between a foreign bridegroom and an American bride."

SPORTS, LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC

PAPA FRANTIC.

SECONDS TOSS UP THE SPONGE.

Neil Loses to Attell in the Unlucky Thirteenth.

Only on Rare Occasions Did Frankie Have Chance.

Scandalous Gossip About the Champion's Actions.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Early in the thirteenth round of a match that had been absolutely uneven and with the barest kind of an outside chance for Frankie Neil, the lanky form of Spider Kelly, his chief second, flashed through the ropes at Dreamland last night. He pulled the bruised and battered Neil toward his corner, and Referee Welch waved his hand toward Abe Attell, who was thus declared the winner.

It was a spectacular finish to a fight that was pitifully in favor of the champion featherweight from beginning to end and yet, in rare moments, dotted by the desperate efforts of Neil trying with vain swings to land a telling blow.

No one expected the fight to end just as it did. Neil, who, in one of his rare moments, opened a gash over Attell's right eye, from which blood flowed freely for some time, was apparently doing better in the thirteenth than in the two preceding rounds, which had seen two clean knockdowns scored against him.

In the first of the thirteenth, Frankie started the eye of his opponent once more to bleeding, but his leads were aimless and without force.

The end was bound to come sooner or later and as Kelly climbed between the ropes and walked over toward Neil, the crowd caught the result in a moment.

SPIDER STEPS IN.

There had been two minutes fought in the thirteenth round when "Spider" Kelly stepped into the ring and said to the referee:

"This fight ought to stop. Neil is hurt. He complains of his head spinning and ought not to go on."

As soon as the referee declared Attell the winner, the elder Neil rushed wildly around the ring, claiming the whole proceeding an outrage; that it was plain that Neil could have continued fighting.

It was palpable, however, to those present, that Neil would have been knocked out in short order had the bout been allowed to continue. He was groggy and apparently all at sea.

After the fight Neil said: "I was not beaten. I was willing to take ten punches in order to deliver one. He had none the best of me and I believe I would have settled him sooner or later."

In the seventh round, Neil, by a lucky punch, opened a deep gash over the Hebrew's right eye from which the blood flowed in a stream. This nettled Attell, and, throwing discretion to the winds, he mixed it, only to be worsted at this style of fighting.

Neil electrified the crowd in this and the succeeding round by bringing the fight to Attell and forcing him all around the ring. Neil landed several wicked left hooks to the jaw in the eighth round and after that Attell fought very warily.

The ninth round was of the whirlwind order, both men administering considerable punishment.

NEIL CAUSES SCENE.

Jim Neil was there, too, yelling like a madman that his boy was all right, that Frankie was strong and able to go ahead, and that it was downright robbery to stop the fight. But the old man was backed gently out of the ring by the officers, while Spider Kelly explained why he had taken the action that was approved by every one who saw the match.

"The boy was sick," said Kelly. "He was in no shape to go any further, and it would have been suicidal to allow him to proceed. Several rounds before the thirteenth, old man Neil wanted to stop the fight. I told him to leave the boy in my hands, that I would watch him and see that no harm came to him."

When Spider took this action he evidently spoiled a plan of Attell's that would have brought the champion considerable money. Abe could not lay his money, even at the heavy odds, so it is asserted he sent out friends and bet even money that Neil would last twenty rounds. As he had the fight won, he could afford to let Neil stay, meanwhile showing in every round that he had Neil at his mercy. Spider heard of this and blocked the game.

Attell said:

"I could have won the fight by the knockout route at any stage of the game. When I knocked Neil down in the twelfth I saw I had him going, but I preferred to play with him as a cat does with a mouse. I had made up my mind to give him a beating he would remember for the rest of his life, and I intended to let him stay twenty rounds."

This fight ends Frankie Neil's career in the prize ring. He has gone back badly, and he cannot get another match. The fight also shows Attell did not exert himself with Moran, but let the Briton stay the twenty rounds so he could get another fight with him. If Attell had fought Moran as he did Neil, the Englishman would have been out before the fifteenth round.

SCALER IS BEATEN.

Johnny Murphy was given the decision over Kid Scaler in a ten-round preliminary to the Attell-Neill fight. This contest, which was announced for the lightweight championship of the Pacific Coast, almost equalled the interest taken in the main event.

It was a hard, gruelling contest throughout. Murphy, who was the heavier by four pounds, was the aggressor throughout and landed the most forceful and telling blows. Near the end of the seventh round, which was all in Murphy's favor, Scaler landed a right very low. Murphy claimed a foul and the bout was stopped for five minutes while doctors examined the protesting pugilist. The claim finally was disallowed, and the men were ordered to continue.

Murphy had all the better of the two concluding rounds and clearly earned the decision. Scaler was the favorite in the betting at 10 to 7. Murphy, being overweight, was compelled to relinquish his forfeit.

SCHRECK IS LUCKY.

GETS DRAW WITH ROSS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Tony Ross, the big Italian heavyweight from Newcastle, Pa., undoubtedly had the best of the ten-round mill with Mike Schreck of Cincinnati before the Southern Athletic Club here tonight, but Referee Wallace Woods declared the fight a draw after it had gone the limit.

Schreck had force and vim in his blows, which Ross lacked, but the Italian, a few moments before the gong sounded in the closing round, closed stoutly with rights and lefts to body and face, rushing the Cincinnati fighter half way over the ropes. When time was called in the tenth the men were clinched. Ross might have won in another half minute. The decision did not please the crowd, and the referee was hissed.

Willus Due Sunday.

Willus Britt is scheduled to arrive here tomorrow morning from San Francisco in quest of a match for his little brother, Jimmy. He is after Nelson, Unholz or Memsic, and may be given a chance, but Jimmy is far from being the drawing card he once was. The last time Willus was here was when he tried to get Gans to break off from his match with Memsic.

POMONA TRACK MEET.

Seniors Expected to Win Most Points While Spurgeon Is Best Individual Man.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

CLAREMONT, Jan. 31.—The seniors should win easily in the interclass track meet here today, with the freshmen second, sophs third, the preps fourth, and juniors fifth.

The juniors, realizing their slight chances, have entered a team of men, who have never trained for their respective events, and whose physiques make it utterly impossible.

The entries are:

Few surprises will be sprung in the interclass meet, since a majority of veterans control the situation. Spurgeon is picked for the field champion of the day. The 100 and 220-yard dashes should go to him, as well as both hurdles.

The 100-yard dash—Spurgeon, '08; Parker Rogers, '11; Sloan, Joos, '10; Hartzell, Davenport, '09; Witman, McDonald, P.

The 120-yard hurdle race—Spurgeon, Metcalf, '08; Vaile Hitchcock, '11; Tangeman, Bird, '09; Giffen, Palmer, '10; Caruthers, P.

The 220-yard dash—Baird, Culver, '08; Parker, Rogers, '11; Hartzell, Davenport, Carver, '09; Sloane, Joos, '10; Witman, McDonald, P.

The 440-yard run—McKee, Parsons, '08; Sharp, Parker, Rogers, '11; Ferris, Tangeman, Davenport, '09; Sloane, Whitney, Joos, '10; Crawford, P.

The 220-yard hurdle race—Spurgeon, Metcalf, '08; Vaile, Sharp, Parker, '11; Tangeman, P. Bird, '09; Palmer, Giffen, Mahoney, '10; Caruthers, Witman, P.

The 880-yard run—Himrod, McKee, Munger, '08; Lorbeer, Pillsbury, Peck, '11; Hartshorn, Bird, Ferris, '09; Joos, Queen, Wilcox, Bechowsky, '10; Rowley, Wire, P.

Mile run—Himrod, Leeke, Tracey, '08; Lorbeer, Pillsbury, Churchill, Peck, '11; Ferris, Bird, Jones, Hartshorn, '09; Case, Palmer, Rau, '10; Squire, Henrich, Jones, Chase, P.

Two-mile run—Smith, Leeke, Tracey, '08; Seffert, Said, '11; Jones, Essig, Bird; Robertson, '09; Hoyt, Rau, Smith, Duskin, Shaw, '10; Squire, P.

Broad jump—Baird, McKee, '08; Rogers, Chaffee, '11; Tangeman, Bird, Ferris, '09; Mahoney, Crawford, '10; Holley, Crawford, P.

High jump—Munger, '08; Gore, Sumner, Bower, L. Lorbeer, '11; Tangeman, Ferris, Bird, '09; McConnell, Crawford, Duskin, Mahoney, '10; Merriam, P.

Pole vault—Birdsall, '10; Becker, Vaile, '11; Bird, Essig, Faukhauser, Crook, Hartshorn, '09; Merriam, Holley, P.

Shot-put—Metcalf, Ranney, '08; Menges Gillett, '11; Essig, Bird, Davenport, '09; Williamson, Giffen, Fuller, '10; Pan, Hoe, Barnes, P.

Hammer-throw—Metcalf, Bryant, '08; Gillett, Menges, '11; Bird, Essig, Weinland, '09; Giffen, Fuller, Williamson, '10; Barnes, P.

Mile relay—Himrod, Sulver, Baird, Buker, McKee, Spurgeon, '08; Tangeman, Davenport, Ferris, Hartzell, Terry, '09; Queen, Joos, Wilcox, Sloane, Whitney, Palmer, Mahoney, Graf, Rau, '10; Rogers, Parker, Vaile, Sharp, Lorbeer, '11; Wire, McDonald, Caruthers, Witman, "prep."

MOVE TO NEW QUARTERS.

Los Angeles Company Will Branch Out on Larger Scale—Will Entertain Autoists Today.

The Maxwell-Briscoe-Willcox Motor Car Company will celebrate the opening of its new place of business today. Decorators have been busily at work for some time, and the interior of the building has been converted into a bower with palms, bay trees and smilax. Electric lights have been strung, and these, covered with Chinese lanterns, will light the place during the evening. J. H. Densham will be in charge of the entertainment.

In the afternoon there will be music by a string band, and refreshments will be served. In the evening a Dutch lunch will be served about 9 o'clock. The Maxwell agents from all over Southern California will attend, and will bring many out-of-town auto enthusiasts with them.

A thousand invitations have been sent out, and Mr. Willcox, the Los Angeles manager, wishes it understood that everybody who is interested in automobiles is welcome. A clever little souvenir has been prepared, and each visitor will receive one. Arrangements have been made to entertain a large crowd.

POLY GIRLS ARE FAST.

Los Angeles Team's Fine Team Work Defeats the Throop Five in Basketball.

Polytechnic's girls' basketball team defeated the Throop team, at Pasadena, yesterday, by the score of 21 to 15. The first two periods were good, but in the third considerable rough work was permitted by the referee and umpire, Miss Wilshire and Miss Bates.

Poly's forwards, Zadie Ross and Hazel Franklin, worked together well and won the game by their throwing of goals. Throop also showed good team work in the forward line in the last period. The members of the Polytechnic team are all small girls, but they are making an excellent record, especially in team work.

PASADENA TRACK MEET.

Charlie Parsons Has Instilled Much Enthusiasm Into High School Aggregation.

Pasadena High School will hold an interclass track meet this afternoon as a try-out for the large number of athletes who have appeared on the track since Charlie Parsons was engaged as coach. The close fight today will be between the Seniors and Juniors. The entries for these two classes are:

Seniors—Kern, hurdler and middle-distance man; Rice, 880 and mile runner; Pyle, shot put; La Spada, sprinter; Hibbon, middle-distance man; Smith, quarter and half-miler; Hamilton and Card, sprints; Carus and Colyer, pole vault.

Juniors—Tyler, broad jumper; Hole, relay and distance man; Thompson, weights; Lougherty, short distance and relay.

MUCH EASY COIN.

RICH STAKE RACE TODAY.

Arcadia Track Offers Large Sum for Good Nags.

Montgomery Probably Will Be Picked as Favorite.

Best Horses in the West Are in the Entry List.

The most valuable stake offered by the Arcadia race track this season is the California Handicap, that will be run off this afternoon and from all accounts the horses entered are the best that have ever been in any race on the Coast.

There are nine entries carded to start and it is possible that all of them will face the barrier. The one that probably will be picked by the public to win the race is Montgomery, which easily won the $10,000 Burns Handicap, run in San Francisco last Saturday. He will carry top weight of 128 pounds, which is the same that he carried in the Burns. Clamor, from the Keene stable, ran second to Montgomery with 105 pounds and is in the big race today with 104 pounds up.

Other good ones entered today are Frank Flittner, Marster, First Peep, Col. Jack and Lisaro, which have shown high-class races here at times. Two new ones are Rubric and Red Leaf, the latter from the Keene stable. The distance is one mile and one-quarter and the stake has a guaranteed value of $7500, the biggest stake ever raced for in Los Angeles.

RESULTS AT ARCADIA.

SUCKERS DROP THEIR COIN.

The bookmakers came back again yesterday at the Arcadia race track and cleaned up the gambling sports as usual in some races that looked very weird to those who gave up their money. The fields were big and this fact worked sad havoc with those who tried to follow the "dope," for those that figured to win, did not.

The suckers seemed to think that every horse that Jockey Miller rode should win, and while he was on four strong-played nags, none of them finished as good as fourth. This is just about the way things happened at Ascot Park, when this boy was riding there, and he certainly bumped the gamblers good and hard yesterday. When the "right money" is bet on nags he rides, he either finishes first, or very close up, but yesterday he was no place. He rode the favorite, Belle Griffon, in the third race, and the favorite Corrigan in the fourth race, and neither one of these plugs were ever prominent. In the fifth, he was on El Primero, and in the sixth rode Amundsen, and these are "running yet," as the sporting element says.

Three favorites finished first, but there were so many horses in each race that the bookmakers cleaned up handsomely on each one. The card was a very ordinary one of cheap selling skates, and there were no features worth mentioning. There were so many "good things" in each race that the suckers were kept jumping sideways to guess the right one, and they seldom did.

F. E. Shaw proved an awful false alarm in the first race, and the pikers fell over themselves trying to bet on him to win, and as might have been expected, he was beaten fifty feet by the second choice, Chalfonte. King Wilda, another nag that was bet on, finished a bad fifth. The third race furnished another dump for the talent, in the defeat of the favorite Belle Griffon, which finished eighth. The race was won by Inspector Bird at 5 to 1, and the good thing, Royal Queen, was second, she having been backed down from 30 to 1 to 6 to 1 at post time. There were two more "specials" in the last race in Amundsen and B. G. Lewis, but neither furnished any surprise, except to the suckers that played them. Results:

Six and a half furlongs: Chalfonte, 127 (Murgrave,) 7 to 2, won; F. E. Shaw, 124 (Martin,) 7 to 10, second; Perry Wicks, 124 (Shriner,) 30 to 1, third; time 1:20 1-5. Sir Russell, King Wilda, Interlude, Lucky Lad, Paddy Lynch and Royal Rogue also ran. Golden Rule, Phalanx, Billy Taylor and Paul Clifford scratched.

Three furlongs, selling: Hampass, 109 (Schilling,) 2 to 1, won; Madelene Musgrave, 103 (Musgrave,) 11 to 5, second; Banthel, 103 (Martin,) 7 to 2, third; time 0:36. Coriel, Colored Lady, Prometheus, Steel, Fair Annie and Frieze also ran. Chinquipin scratched.

Five and a half furlongs: Inspector Bird, 107 (Burns,) 5 to 1, won; Royal Queen, 107 (Moriarity,) 6 to 1, second; Grindstone, 109 (Harty,) 8 to 1, third; 1:08 4-5. Montclair, Oreagna, Diamonito, Kidnap, Belle Griffon, Barney Oldfield, Florence Birch, Karodo, Latona and S. A. Carlisle also ran. Vronsky, Lonia and Belle of Mayfair scratched.

Mile and three-sixteenths: Sink Spring, 96 (Brooks,) 3 to 1, won; Hi Caul Cap, 106 (Musgrave,) 6 to 1, second; Belasco, 106 (Martin,) 20 to 1, third; time 2:01 2-5. Meddling Daisy, Corrigan, Don Hart, Briarthorpe, Adonis and Morendo also ran. Needful scratched.

Mile and three-sixteenths: Sam Bernard, 101 (Dugan,) 6 to 5, won; Badly Used, 110 (Boland,) 7 to 2, second; Box Elder, 106 (Ross,) 10 to 1, third; time 2:03. Anvil, By Play, Rostof, El Primero, Marpessa, Edna Felice and Montanes also ran.

Five furlongs: C. W. Burt, 112 (Schilling,) 2 to 1, won; Hidden Hand, 109 (Preston,) 7 to 1, second; Laudable, 107 (Goldstein,) 12 to 1, third; time 1:01 1-5. Amundsen, Macias, Godfather, Ruscimo, Smirker, Brawney Lad, B. G. Lewis and Strat Martin also ran. Silberschwanz, Sombro, Wuerzberger and Taraban scratched.

Arcadia Entries.

First race, purse, five and a half furlongs:

209 Cruzados 107
... Tony Faust 107
252 Stray 107
(227) Dominus Arvi 107
(215) Diamond 104
289 Interlude 104
205 Red Garter 104
(239) Chalfonte 104
... Vindicta 102
... Rusticus 104
248 Al Lindley 104
280 Don Domo 104
230 Escalante 107
227 Toupee 104
274 Nun's Veiling 102
(230) Mary F. 102

Second race, purse, 3-year-olds, three and a half furlongs:

(185) Achieve 113
266 Knight of the East 102
216 Foreguard 99
273 Harry Stanhope 102
... Apto Oro 113
Ch. c., Kinley Mack—La Palma.
272 xLa Paladin 99
... xRed Mimic 107
B. g., Mimic—Red Orange.
216 C. W. Riley 105
266 Marion Delorme 99
xCarman entry.

Third race, handicap, six furlongs:

296 Burt G. Lewis 97
240 Harcourt 90
283 Rosegal 101
282 Dredger 93
(263) zEarly Tide 105
243 zCreston 108
zDeArman entry.

Fourth race, the California Handicap, $7500 guaranteed, one and a quarter miles:

(193) Montgomery 128
(286) Frank Flittner 107
280 Marster 107
(268) First Peep 106
236 Lisaro 105
... Rubric 106
(78) bClamor 104
... bRed Leaf 108
187 Col. Jack 108
bKeene entry.

Fifth race, purse, two miles:

(235) Big Bow 108
275 Rip Rap 100
(244) Livius 100
225 Mamie Algol 101

Sixth race, selling, one mile:

296 Rubinon 101
184 Bon Vivant 96
265 Stoney Lee 96
239 Needful 101
293 Badly Used 101
255 Rama 99
133 Dewey 104
256 Veritas Vincit 101
244 Pay Me 101
233 Alma Boy 101
271 Myrtle H. 99

Seventh race, selling, one mile:

233 Silverskin 101
282 Aucassin 107
264 Baker 104
255 Freesias 99
274 Pepper and Salt 94
210 Bushwhacker 101
288 *Basil 99
269 Search Me 104
281 Foncasta 101
271 Airs 94
*Apprentice allowance.

EMERYVILLE RACES.

LONG SHOT WINS RACE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—There were several more surprises today at Emeryville, though a few favorites came to the front. In the third race, Jockey Mounce, at 30 to 1, came in on the rail and won from Hal after a hard drive. Important, a rank outsider, surprised the wise ones by making a runaway race of the fourth event. The track was heavy.

Five and a half furlongs, selling: Sophomore, 108 (Carroll,) 7 to 5, won; San Gil, 105 (Scoville,) 5 to 1, second; Miss Charity, 110 (Hildebrand,) 60 to 1, third; time 1:11 2-5. Sightly, Leonardsdale, Last Go, Expectant, Gold Bar, Uncle Sam and Fern L., finished as named.

Three furlongs, purse: Ocean Maids, 108 (Sandy,) 8 to 5, won; El Paro, 98 (Kirschbaum,) 20 to 1, second; Novgorod, 96 (Scoville,) 15 to 1, third; time 0:37 4-5. Lackville, Toby, Fan Me, Alice Collins, Prince Ormonde, My Nurse, Rollicking Boy and Ten Full finished as named.

Six furlongs, selling: Jockey Mounce, 97 (Charboneau,) 30 to 1, won; Hal, 102 (Hayes,) 4 to 1, second; Bravoure, 101 (Scoville,) 13 to 1, third; time 1:15. Galvestonian, Old Settler, Cuernavaca, Reene W., Reelaea, Byron and Othmar finished as named.

One mile, purse: Import, 92 (Gilbert,) 15 to 1, won; Sidney F., 107 (Fisher,) 7 to 5, second; Royal Maxim, 105 (C. Miller,) 7 to 1, third; time 1:46 1-5. Fred Bent, The Captain, Excitement, Bose Eley and Royal Scott finished as named.

Mile and a half, selling: Graphite, 113 (C. Miller,) 2 to 1, won; Tetanus, 92 (Charboneau,) 3 to 1, second; Retrou, 106 (Borel,) 15 to 1, third; time 2:44. Rosy Light, Matador, Blacklock, Iras and Benvolio finished as named.

Six furlongs: St. George, Jr., 103 (Kirschbaum,) 2 to 1, won; Integrity, 112 (Post,) 7 to 1, second; Galvestonian, 109 (Finnigan,) 8 to 1, third; time 1:19. Andrew Mack, Rosal, Watchful, St. Orloff and Joe Kilday finished as named.

Racing at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 31.—City Park results:

Three furlongs: Hammock Boy won, Craftsman second, Dispute third; time, 0:38 3-5.

Five furlongs: Gratiot won, Donaldo second, Bobbin' Around third; time, 1:04 1-5.

Seven furlongs: Stoneman won, Ethel Carr second, Bounding Elk third; time, 1:33 4-5.

Mile: Gauntlet won, Pantland second, First Premium third; time, 1:45 1-5.

Seven furlongs: Ketchemike won, Thomas Calhoun second, Rural Boy third; time, 1:32 1-5.

Six furlongs: Royal Onyx won, Avaunteer second, Chief Hayes third; time, 1:17.

One and one-sixteenth miles: Adesso won, Warner Griswell second, Flaunigay third; time, 1:54 3-5.

Hot Game of Ball.

REDLANDS, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In one of the best games of baseball ever held in this section, the San Bernardino team defeated the Redlands Y.M.C.A. in a ten-inning game by a score of 5 to 4. Both teams have a good many league players, who are passing the winter in the two cities. At least 500 persons witnessed the game.

DONNELL IS NEW COACH.

Edwards Resigns from Position of High School Track Leader in Favor of Local Boy.

L. M. Edwards, who has been coaching the L. A. High track team since the opening of the spring term, yesterday resigned his position because of the pressure of other business. He will be succeeded by Horace Donnell, a former L. A. High runner, and recently a member of the University of California track team. Edwards last year was one of Stanford's best sprinters.

There are fifty-two entries in the High School interclass meet, which will be held on the Occidental track this morning, beginning at 9 o'clock. The seniors have the best chance to win the meet, which will serve as a try-out for the High School material and give a line on what the new athletes can do.

CLOSE BILLIARD GAME.

Kennedy Succeeds in Defeating William Maguire in Fifth Game of Handicap Tourney.

The billiard enthusiasts saw a very close game last night at Berry's rooms, when George Kennedy and William Maguire met for the fifth game at 14.2 balk-line and Kennedy finally won by a score of 300 to 274, going out in the thirty-first inning with a run of thirty-five. At the beginning of the last inning, the score was 274 to 265 in favor of Maguire, and the spectators were of the opinion that he would win.

Kennedy's high runs were 40, 35, 24 and 22, and his average was 9 21-31. Maguire had high runs of 39, 24, 19 and 19, and his average was 8 26-31. Kennedy and Wright will play this evening and if Wright wins he will be tied with Kennedy for first place, but if Kennedy wins he will have first place in the tourney and they will be forced to play another series of games. The standing is as follows:

Name.	Played.	Won.	Lost.
Kennedy	2	2	0
Wright	2	1	1
Maguire	3	1	2
Dubois	3	1	2

NO AUTOMOBILE RACE.

Speedy Runabout Is Put Out of Commission by Break in Mechanism as Cars Approach Start.

Owing to a break in the mechanism which put the handsome Haynes runabout out of commission, there was no race on the Palisades yesterday morning. Many auto men of this city journeyed to Santa Monica early to witness the promised brush between Charles H. Stimson's Packard runabout and the Haynes "sixty," driven by George Barnes. The crowd was disappointed.

It is probable that the merits of the two machines will not be determined for some time, as Stimson expects to ship his car North today. The morning was ideal for racing, and up to the time of the accident both cars were working perfectly.

SOUTHERNERS WINNERS.

Brown of Pomona and Adams of Riverside Defeat Veterans in Stanford Track Meet.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSTY, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In the first preliminary track meet of the season, H. Brown, a freshman from Pomona, won the 440-yard dash, shortened to 352 yards, in the good time of 40 1-5s. He was running from scratch against Miller, the veteran half-miler, and had about fifteen men in the field to pass.

The surprise of the day was furnished when W. W. Adams of Riverside, defeated Maundrell in the two-mile run.

All the events were closely contested and the performances were far above the average for the first of the season. The entry list was the largest ever known here for a preliminary meet and "Dad" Moulton, the Stanford trainer, says that the showing made is the best he has ever witnessed at an initial meet. The freshmen came through in especially fine shape and proved that there is no lack of good material among the first year men.

In the high jump, Martin did 5 feet 9 inches, while Horton put the shot 42 feet 6 inches.

F. W. Turner of Oakland, coxswain of last year's 'Varsity crew, was today appointed assistant coach until Dan Murphy is able to take charge. Turner has had charge of the men so far in their work on the machines and will put them on the water in a few days. He has given his services free of charge, although devoting almost all his time to the work. He is president of the boat club.

Polo Play Postponed.

The polo tournament that was to have been played at Riverside next week has been postponed until the following week, on Wednesday, owing to the soggy condition of the field, and to the further fact that the Santa Barbara team is not in condition to appear next week. The teams that are scheduled to play are from Riverside, Santa Barbara, Coronado and Los Angeles, and the prize offered is the Frank Mackay cup.

Sheppard Apologizes.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 31.—Melville E. Sheppard, the track athlete who struck Guy Haskins during a race here last week, came to the city yesterday and apologized to Haskins. He also made application to the Registration Committee of the Middle Atlantic Association for reinstatement, having been suspended, following the attack on Haskins. The committee will consider the matter today. Scores of letters have been received, asking that Sheppard be reinstated.

SWIMMING TOURNAMENT.

WATLINGTON DEFEATS THE SWISS CHAMPION.

THREE events were pulled off in the Southern California Swimming Association tournament at Bimini Baths last night, the great race of the evening being the 220-yard contest between Ben Watlington of the Los Angeles Athletic Club and W. A. Abegg, former amateur champion of Switzerland, which Watlington won by a good margin. Abegg showed up well, but needs more training. H. Crum also entered the race, but was soon outdistanced and dropped out of the contest. An injured knee kept Elt Brown out of it.

E. P. Holborow of the Bimini Club defeated Earle Kyle of San Diego in the final heat of the 100-yard event, and also captured the 50-yard final, handily defeating H. E. Miller and Harold Baker. The time was slow in all of the races. The plunge is 90 feet long, necessitating at least one turn in every event, which kept the time low.

J. Cox, the high diver, gave his thrilling fire dive, leaping from the rafters over the plunge with his diving suit covered with the flames of burning kerosene.

Earle Kyle, the young San Diego swimmer, made a special trip to Los Angeles to enter last night's races. He is but 35 years old, and last year competed in the juvenile events. He gave Holborow a hard race in the final of the 100-yard dash, and defeated E. O. Barnwell in the first heat of this event. Holborow becomes the possessor of the Bimini challenge cup.

Next Friday night the 440-yard event and the 50-yard juvenile races will be contested.

The summary of the races last night follows:

The 50-yard race, first heat: Baker and Holborow tied for first, Travilla second; time 29 3-5s.

The 50 yards, second heat: Won by Miller, Kyle second, Abegg third; time 28 2-5s.

The 50 yards, final: Won by Holborow, Miller second, Baker third; time 28 4-5s.

The 100-yard race, first heat: Won by Holborow, Lech second, no third; time 1m. 26s.

The 100 yards, second heat: Won by Kyle, Barnwell second, Jaconi, third entry, dropped out; time 1m. 18s.

The 100 yards, final: Won by Holborow, Kyle second; time 1m. 17 1-5s.

The 220-yard dash: Won by Watlington, Abegg second, Crum third, dropped out; time 3m. 14 2-5s.

Officials—George W. Braden, starter; Louis Bristol, K. C. Mooers and George Cline, timers; Wallace Robb, Clerk of course; W. H. Henderson and Bernal Dyas, judges; Tim Brown, announcer.

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SHOCKINGLY INJURED.

Skull of Man With Six Children Is Crushed by Explosion at Riverside Quarry.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jesse M. Swope, an employé at the city rock quarry, was shockingly injured this morning as the result of a premature explosion, but it is believed that he will recover. He may lose his sight, his skull is crushed in at the right temple, his face severely lacerated and one finger blown off.

He has a wife and six children.

Harness Horse Meet.

The members of the Los Angeles Harness Horse Association will meet this evening to vote on the question of what shall be done with the surplus of $1900, which is now in the treasury.

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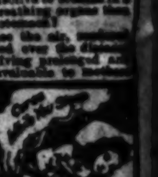

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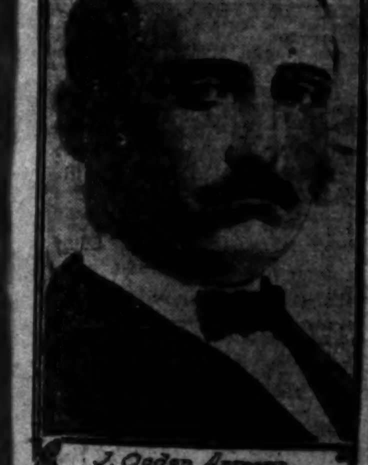

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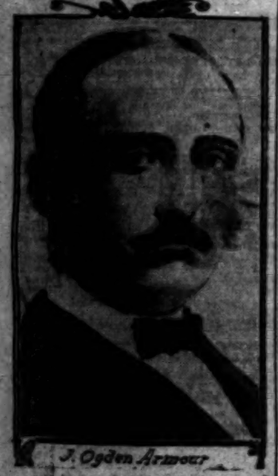

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Pennsylvania Graft Trial Develops Many Peculiar Financial Transactions Aside from Exorbitant Prices for Furniture in New Building at Harrisburg.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

HARRISBURG (Pa.) Jan. 31.—More than $3,000,000 was paid to Contractor John H. Sanderson for furniture for the new State Capitol before his bills began to be approved by the board of public grounds and buildings, as required by law. This was brought out at the trial of Sanderson, former State Treasurer Mathues, former Auditor-General Snyder and James H. Schumaker, former superintendent of grounds and buildings, in the Dauphin county court today.

These bills were put in evidence by the commonwealth, in spite of vigorous objections by the defense for the purpose of showing the system which the commonwealth alleges was pursued to defraud the State.

The admission of these bills opens the way for the introduction of certain other papers and numerous articles of furniture, to which reference is made in the indictment in the case now on trial.

The commonwealth brought down from the Capitol and stored in the Courthouse today a wagonload of furniture, which it will offer in evidence when the trial is resumed Monday. This furniture includes the bootblack stand, for which Sanderson collected $1613 from the State, and paid the subcontractor $125; the desks and chairs upon which Sanderson's profits were 500 and 600 per cent., respectively.

It was testified today that Sanderson's bills were received at the department of grounds and buildings in one batch some time in March, 1906, and that they had been withdrawn the following day by Snyder, who afterward furnished the superintendent with a certified list.

It was also testified that Sanderson invoices had been kept in a private safe in Snyder's office, while invoices under the general schedule of 1904-05 were kept in the general filing cases of the department.

The commonwealth showed that the warrants for the payment of bills were turned over by the warrant clerk to Snyder, but that all other warrants were mailed direct by this clerk to the parties to whom they were issued. The defense brought out, on cross-examination, that Snyder required a written receipt of the contractor before issuing him a warrant, and that the warrant clerk had access to the safe in Snyder's office in which Sanderson's bills were kept.

The commonwealth expects to close its case next Tuesday. The defense is not ready to say how long it will require to present its case. Both sides profess to be satisfied with the result so far.

PLAN WATER SUPPLY.

Four Bay Cities May Combine to Distribute Ultimate Cost of $100,000,000.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Consolidating the financial resources of all the bay cities to meet the demands for an adequate supply of water and distributing the ultimate cost of $100,000,000 so that the bonding limit of none of the municipalities would be endangered, is the plan of a committee which is working out the problem of a metropolitan water supply for four bay counties.

The details of the plan involve the purchase by such separate municipality of the present distribution system within its own limit and the creation of a metropolitan water commission by act of the Legislature, which shall acquire all the near-by sources and sell water to the several cities at the points where the mains cross their boundary lines. Ultimately it is proposed that this commission shall build the pipe line to the Sierra and add the water so developed to the system, which would be already in operation for its delivery.

Roughly, the cost is estimated at $50,000,000 for the purchase of the present water companies supplying San Francisco, San Mateo, Alameda and Contra Costa counties, and another $50,000,000 for the development and adoption of a Sierra source, presumably the Hetch-Hetchy.

PRESIDENT APPLAUDS PRIEST

Sermon on Race Suicide Brings Letter of Commendation to Father Tuhman of Reno.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

RENO, Jan. 31.—Presidential approval of the sermon delivered in the Catholic Church here Sunday, January 19, has been received by the author of the opinions, Rev. Father Tuhman. A letter from Theodore Roosevelt tells of his indorsement of the priest's views on race suicide, and the assertions that "celibacy is false to God, false to country and false to self." are especially upheld.

The President applauded the statement that "race suicide, affinities and other outgrowths of modern marriages and divorces" deserve more than condemnation from the clergy. The priest's utterances created a sensation at the time, because he said he desired no unmarried men or women to remain in his parish.

KILLED BY CAR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Patrick Griffin, a building contractor, was almost instantly killed tonight by being struck by a car at Twenty-ninth street and San José avenue. Griffin passed to the rear of one car and stepped directly in front of a car going in the opposite direction. His skull was fractured, and he received other injuries.

Griffin was a man of considerable wealth, and at one time was a candidate for Mayor on an independent builders' league ticket. He was 60 years old, and leaves a family.

The residence of A. Alexander, superintendent of the Frederick mine of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, twenty miles west of Trinidad, Colo., was partly wrecked by an explosion of dynamite early yesterday. The explosive had been placed under a bedroom in which three children were sleeping. All the inmates of the house escaped with slight injuries. It is believed that the explosion was caused by miners who had been discharged.

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Patent and staple leathers; Goodyear welted oak leather soles, either single or double; new lasts; new shapes; splendidly made to fit, thoroughly dependable; special, $2.55. Third floor.

Men's $5.00 Storm Boots $3.65

Boys' $3.50 High Cut Shoes $2.65

Children's $2 Dress Shoes $1.55

$1.00 A Great Line of Sample Veils Sale Begins Today $1.00

TAKE LUNCH AT BULLOCK'S

A varied menu; unexcelled service and cuisine; music, 11:30 to 1. 7th floor.

Saturday is Veiling Day—and this Saturday we are ready with a great line of Sample Veils in all the new styles, colors and patterns—both plain and embroidered—in lengths varying from 1½ to 3 yards; a wonderful assortment and every one at $1. See them on display in our window on Broadway. Sale starts this morning at 8 o'clock. Main Floor, Section C.

"MEET ME ON BULLOCK'S ROOF GARDEN"

A convenient place to meet your friends—a delightful resting place.

WASHINGTON.

DISCOVER AN IRREGULARITY.

Government Printing Office Under Suspicion.

Audit System Also Bidder on Public Contracts.

Congressional Committee to Conduct Inquiry.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Representative Landis, chairman of the subcommittee of the joint Congressional Committee on Printing, which is engaged in making an investigation concerning the conduct of the government printing office, today made a statement relative to a development of what members of the committee believe to be an irregularity in that office.

The statement recites that under an act of Congress the public printer entered into a contract with the Audit System of New York for the installation of accounts, the Audit System receiving $1650 a week for the work. Mr. Landis continues:

"My attention was called to the charge that the Audit System, in addition to the work of installing an accounting system in the government printing office, was furnishing supplies to the government printing office in competition with other bidders and also was furnishing supplies where there was no competition.

"I took the matter up with the public printer and he admitted this to be true, but stated that the matter had not impressed him as being in any way improper. I informed him that I considered it manifestly improper and it was tacitly agreed that the Audit System should be limited to the duties under its contract, and would refrain from furnishing supplies to the government printing office, either with or without competition.

SAME OFFICERS.

"Under the statute the joint committee on printing every year receives bids and awards contracts for paper to be used at the government printing office. These bids were opened on January 23 and yesterday the joint committee met to award the contract.

"A short time before the committee met, it was informed that the Suffolk Distributing Company, which had put in its bid several times aggregating about $150,000, was officered by the same gentlemen who composed the Audit System. I thought it manifestly improper that the bid of any man or company having an office in the government printing establishment, or being interested in an office at that place should be a bidder on any of these paper contracts, or at least have their bids considered without some preliminary investigation.

START INQUIRY.

"I accordingly called a meeting of the sub-committee of the printing investigation committee and summoned Willett Raynor, who has charge of the Audit System work in the government printing office, and took his testimony under oath.

"This testimony was taken in executive session and it was of such a character as to justify the sub-committee in holding up the award of all items in which the Suffolk Distributing Company was a bidder. The sub-committee will investigate this matter thoroughly. A meeting has been called for tomorrow and the president of the Suffolk Distributing Company has been asked to appear.

"I will say, further, that in view of the charges that have been made relative to the purchase of supplies in the government printing office, the sub-committee shall go into that matter thoroughly, deeming this fair not only to the government but to Mr. Stillings, the public printer."

TAFT URGES CHANGES.

Secretary of War Tells House Military Committee of New Legislation He Favors.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Secretary of War Taft returned today from Ohio, and later appeared before the House Committee on Military Affairs, where he urged a variety of legislation, including the establishment of an army post at Benguet, Philippine Islands, for recruiting purposes; a general increase in pay for the army, percentages to be determined by the President; the establishment of a rifle and artillery range for the Department of the East, the site to be selected near Washington, by the department; the continuance of the Porto Rican regiment; changes in the organization of army scouts for the good of the service, and the reception at the West Point Academy of seven Philippine candidates.

INVESTIGATION.

TILLMAN AIMS AT RAILROADS.

WANTS INQUIRY IN GRANTS OF WESTERN LANDS.

Declares Vast Acreage Given Lines to Be Sold to Settlers at not More Than $2.50 Per Acre, According to Terms of Agreement, Are Still Held by Big Companies.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Senator Tillman today introduced a resolution calling upon the President to inform the Senate whether railroads receiving land grants containing conditions requiring that the land should be sold to actual settlers only, and for amounts named in the grants, have violated the terms of the grants and what action should be taken by the Department of Justice in respect to the matters.

The preamble of the resolution referred to the railroads of the Pacific Coast as the ones indicted and stated that the Department of Justice had information concerning the matter. Mr. Kean objected to the immediate consideration of the resolution, whereupon Mr. Tillman said he had discovered the things he aimed at in his resolution while on a trip West last summer. He was then told these railroads absolutely refused to comply with the terms of their grants and would not sell their land. Senator Fulton said he was familiar with the matter referred to in this resolution and that the road against which the complaint is aimed is now a part of the Southern Pacific system.

Mr. Tillman said the resolution also related to the Northern Pacific land grants. Mr. Fulton continued, saying land grants made in the 70's were coupled with the condition that the land should be sold to actual settlers only at a price not exceeding $2.50 per acre.

"A great deal of that land," he said, "is held by the railroad companies and they refuse to sell it for $2.50 an acre."

Mr. Fulton said he believed in either having the terms of the grant complied with or in forcing the companies to return the land to the government. Mr. Heyburn suggested that it has been customary for the railroads to require settlers in purchasing land to purchase improvements they themselves had made before the purchase and wanted that requirement also inquired into. The consideration of the resolution was postponed.

Mr. Tillman then offered another resolution relating to the subject and directing the Attorney-General to institute such proceedings on behalf of the United States as may be necessary to insure the compliance with the conditions accompanying the land grants or to restore the lands to the public domain or report to the Congress why such action had not or should not be taken. This resolution was referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

ELABORATE MAP PREPARED.

Shows Principal Transportation Routes of World by Rail and Water and Gives Distances.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor has prepared a map entitled "principal transportation routes of the world," designed to show at a glance the principal land and water transportation routes of the world in conjunction.

The map shows the distance from New York, New Orleans, San Francisco and Port Townsend to the principal ports of the world and from the chief cities of the United States to those for-

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Business Suits, Cravenette Rain Coats, Tuxedos Overcoats and Full Dress Suits

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$1.50 Kinds, Today $1.15 *$3.00 Kinds, Today $2.25*
$2.00 Kinds, Today $1.50 *$3.50 Kinds, Today $2.65*
$2.50 Kinds, Today $1.90 *$4.00 Kinds, Today $3.00*
$5.00 Kinds, Today $3.75

25 Per Cent Reduction Today on Men's Underwear, Pajamas, Night Shirts, Leather Goods, Trunks, Canes and Umbrellas

initial ports, thus making it easy to determine the distance from any leading city of the United States to any leading city of the world. This table of distances by the various routes includes those via Panama and Tehuantepec and across the United States as well as via the Suez Canal and around Cape Horn and the Cape of Good Hope.

A small document entitled "routes and systems of the world," accompanying the map, gives statistical information regarding the railroads of the world and their cost, the length of the railroads in the United States and rates of transportation during a long term of years, the world's merchant marine and other data.

MANILA FOR NAVAL BASE.

Board Decides Subig Bay is Impossible of Defense Against Land Attack.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Manila and not Subig Bay will be the ultimate naval base of America in the Far East, according to a dispatch received by the navy board today. This decision must be ratified by the President to become effective.

It has been demonstrated to the satisfaction of the board that with all of its advantages in the way of a fine anchorage and spacious harbor, Subig Bay is strategically impossible of defense from a land attack. So, while both Subig Bay and Manila will continue for the present to be fortified bases, Manila in the end will be the principal American naval station in the Orient, if the plans of the board are approved.

FAVOR ARBITRATION BILL.

Townsend Measure Reported by Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—A favorable report on the Townsend arbitration bill was authorized today by the House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce. The bill provides for the appointment by the President of a commission to investigate each dispute between capital or labor of such magnitude as to interfere with interstate traffic, Federal business, etc.

Favors McKinley Bill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—John T. Hamilton, former president of the American Banking Association, appearing before the House Committee on Banking and Currency today, in a vigorous statement took a position squarely behind the McKinley financial bill, representing the views of the Currency Committee of the American Bankers' Association, and in opposition to the bill by Senator Aldrich and Representative Fowler.

PRISONER REFUSES TO EAT.

Declares That Jailer and Sheriff Only Want to Fatten Him to Hang Him.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SANTA FE (N. M.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With his head covered up on a cot in a cell of the Chaves County Jail at Roswell, Moses Lewis, the murderer of his first cousin, Leland S. Terhune, says he will starve himself to death.

Lewis refuses food, and says Jailor Young and Sheriff Ballard only want to fatten him to hang him. It is believed that Lewis has become mentally unbalanced as a result of brooding over his crime.

At his first trial held several weeks ago, the jury stood ten for first-degree murder (which in New Mexico is accompanied only by the death penalty) and two for absolute acquittal. The two jurors who held out for acquittal must have believed Lewis's story that he acted in self-defense when he slew Terhune, as none other than Lewis was a witness to the killing, and Lewis stoutly maintains that he dragged the body of his victim three-quarters of a mile and buried it in an irrigation ditch, because "he was scared and did not know what to do."

The murdered man was a wealthy rancher, and Lewis was employed by him as a hand on the ranch. In an altercation that arose over the flooding of an irrigation ditch, Lewis crushed Terhune's skull with a spade. The body of the missing man was found a week later by a searching party, having been partially exhumed by coyotes, who had dug away the earth that covered it. Lewis was arrested shortly afterward and confessed, but he claimed the killing was done in self-defense.

JAP QUESTION SETTLED.

American Reply Eminently Satisfactory, Says Tokio Official, Only Minor Detail Remaining.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 1.—Since the receipt from Washington of the last reply to the Japanese memorandum of December 31 on the emigration question, the Japanese government has been busy attending to interior affairs, arising from the attacks on the Cabinet and the bombardment of interpellations in the Diet.

The storm is apparently over, and the Foreign Office will now give prompt attention to the American negotiations. It is authoritatively stated that the American reply is eminently satisfactory.

An official of the Foreign Office said today:

"The entire emigration matter might almost be called a 'res adjudicata.' Only a minor detail remains before everything will be concluded satisfactory to Japan."

Classified Liners.

Times Classified Rates: The rate for inserting "Want" ads in The Daily Times is 1c per word for each insertion; in the Sunday issue 1½c per word, each insertion; minimum charge 25c; except under following classifications the rate for which is 10c per line, minimum charge 50 cents: "Society Meetings," "Personals," "Special Notices," and "Baths and Massage."

"Liner" (classified) advertisements for Sunday insertion received over the counter or by telephone after 11:30 o'clock Saturday nights will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify."

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 10:30 o'clock Saturday nights. Rates 1¼ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 70,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times" any time of day or night and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephoned advertisements.

THE TIMES will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

ARE YOU ENGAGED TO BE MARRIED? Do you realize that 80 per cent. of the divorces are on account of the women (God bless 'em) not having comfortable homes, with congenial surroundings? We have solved the problem of happy homes for genteel people with moderate means and refined tastes. Glad to have you call and talk the matter over with us, or send us your address. LYONS DIVIDENDS COMPANY, 309 Mercantile Place, Los Angeles. 7

OFFICE OF THE SANTA ANITA LAND COMPANY, Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 21, 1908. TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE SANTA ANITA LAND COMPANY— Please take notice that the date for the holding of the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Santa Anita Land Company has passed without the same being held, and that a special meeting of the stockholders of the said Santa Anita Land Company will be held at the office of the company at Room 417, Bryson Bldg., in the city of Los Angeles, Cal., on the 5th day of February, 1908, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for said company, and transacting such other business as may properly come before the meeting. R. T. BRODEK, Secretary Santa Anita Land Co. 4

FLORENTINE SQUARE — FLORENTINE Square. Florentine Square—Florentine Square. —Get the habit of— —repeating this aloud— Incomparable location, view, environs; 5-cent car fare. Lots $500 up. Terms right. Houses built to order. LYONS DIVIDENDS COMPANY, 309 Mercantile Place. 7

SUNDAY REAL ESTATE LINERS— Classified real estate advertisements for insertion in THE SUNDAY TIMES must be in the office not later than 10:30 o'clock Saturday nights. Other "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion will be taken over the counter until 11:30 p.m. The great volume of liners printed in The Sunday Times, numbering regularly over 3000 separate announcements, makes this regulation absolutely necessary in order to get the big Sunday issue out on time.

CESSPOOLS— It pays to have them pumped out by the IMPERIAL PUMPING CO., as they have the largest tanks. Residence, 1311 W. 29th. 'Phone West 5306, Home 23960.

WANTED—AN EXQUISITE COMPLEXION by every woman and man. Harris's Velvet Creme gives it by cleansing the skin, not by clogging the pores; price 50c. HARRIS INSTITUTE OF DERMATOLOGY, 347 S. Broadway.

BURLAP—SPECIAL, 36-IN. NATURAL....5c Wall paper, special heavy gold ....11c Paint, special for carriages, pints ....25c WALTER, 627 S. Spring st. F1065, Main 1055.

PIONEER CARPET CLEANING WORKS. Home F2360, Main 217. 715 S. Olive. Cleaning, laying and refitting. Renovating and sizing rugs a specialty. W. G. CLINE, Pres.

MRS. D. M. COLBY, LATE OF SAN FRANcisco, now located at 3117 S. MAIN ST. Psychic readings daily, 10 to 4. 'Phone B3654. 15

ROOFS REPAIRED. CONTRACTS PROMPTly executed; agents for Carey's Magnesia Roofing. CAL. ROOFING SUPPLY CO., 314 Merchants' Trust. Home A6472. 3

CALIFORNIA STEAM CARPET CLEANING WORKS cleans carpets, refitting, sewing and laying. 225 E. 4TH ST. Main 715, Home 8354.

FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 758 San Pedro. Phone Sunset Main 1164, Home 5041.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED BY HAND. West 201, Home 24713. MRS. HEATH.

THE CHIMNEY SWEEP. Phone SOUTH 2067; HOME B1940. 3

NOTICE—DERBY OR FELT HATS MADE like new. 50c up. Factory, 214 N. B'DWAY.

CHURCH NOTICES—
With Place and Hour.

PENIEL HALL, 227 S. MAIN. GOSPEL meeting, noon and 8 p.m., daily.

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL— ARE YOU ENGAGED TO BE MARRIED? Do you realize that 80 per cent. of the divorces are on account of the women (God bless 'em) not having comfortable homes, with congenial surroundings? We have solved the problem of happy homes for genteel people with moderate means and refined tastes. Glad to have you call and talk the matter over with us, or send us your address. LYONS DIVIDENDS COMPANY, 309 Mercantile Place, Los Angeles. 7

PERSONAL— MRS. MASSON, the noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 322 S. SPRING ST. (Suite 17.) by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day. Investments, changes of business, losses and gains, lawsuits, deaths, marriages, separation, and, in fact, all that life holds for you is plainly written in your hand; it is simply a question of correct interpretation. HIGH CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL — FLORENTINE SQUARE— Florentine Square. Florentine Square—Florentine Square. —Get the habit of— —repeating this aloud— Incomparable location, view, environs; 5-cent car fare. Lots $500 up. Terms right. Houses built to order. LYONS DIVIDENDS COMPANY, 309 Mercantile Place. 7

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PERSONAL — PROF. ALTHOUSE, CELEbrated palmist and astrologer, acknowledged by the best intellects as the most remarkable reader of hands in this country; also casts complete horoscopes; advice on all questions of life. His readings, scientific, absolutely correct, must in no wise be classed with those of other readers. With each hand also an astrological reading. High class patronage. Beware of unreliable readers. 305½ SOUTH SPRING. 1

PERSONAL— MME. ANNUVE, THE WONDERFUL PSYCHIC, REMOVED TO 741 S. BROADWAY. PALMIST, ASTROLOGIST.

PERSONAL—WOULD YOU LIKE AN ADdress or information concerning anybody? Phone A4170. Address Y, box 136, TIMES OFFICE. 5

PERSONAL—
Business.

PERSONAL — THE WORLD'S GREATEST astral seer and psychic. MILBURN. When considering a psychic consult the best. Milburn is the acknowledged leader of them all. Permanently located in Los Angeles. He advises you with a power higher than human. He brings sunshine and success in your life, telling you how to overcome enemies and obstacles. Work guaranteed. 428 W. SIXTH ST. Hours 10 to 5, daily and Sundays. 1

PERSONAL—LADIES, USE DR. LA FRANco's Compound; safe, speedy regulator; 25c; druggists or mail; booklet and testimonial free. DR. LA FRANCO, Philadelphia, Pa.

PERSONAL — MANICURING, ELECTRIC vibratory treatments for rheumatism and nervous ailments. 307 W. THIRD, room 4. 4

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, PALMIST, CARD reader; ladies, 25c; gents, 50c. 203½ S. Spring.

PERSONAL—WE WILL DO YOUR ADVERtising and distributing; rates reasonable; try us. H3250. Suite 1, 1217 E. 23D ST. 2

WANTED—
Help, Male.

Note—Applicants for positions are advised not to enclose original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

WANTED— RED CROSS EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 130 E. Second st. Main 8830. A7600. —WE WANT— Laborers for Las Vegas and Tonopah R.R., $2 day, ship tonight. Call and see our billboards for full list of what we have to offer. New work coming in all the time. We do not advertise stale work. We give just treatment to one and all. Office hours, 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. 1

WANTED — KING AGENCY, PERMANENT positions secured for clerical men, office men, bookkeepers, stenographers, salesmen, collectors, timekeepers, $60 to $150; shipping clerks, receiving clerks, grocery clerks, hotel clerks, $50 to $100; foremen, chauffeurs, engineers, firemen, watchmen, $75 to $125; men for wholesale houses, stores, factories, $10 to $20; for quick results call KING'S AGENCY, suite 724-725 Bryson Bldg., Second and Spring. 3

WANTED— HUMMEL BROS. & CO., A strictly first class agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited. 116 EAST SECOND STREET. Between Main and Los Angeles sts. Largest and best equipped offices on Pacific Coast. SUNSET MAIN 509. HOME EXCHANGE 509.

WANTED—JAPANESE PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, Largest and most popular agency, 621 W. Sixth st., Los Angeles, Cal. House cleaning department. Widow cleaning department. Phones—Home F1678; Main 1714. General labor contractors. Every department insures responsibility. 6

WANTED—JAPANESE HARRY NAKADO EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. Oldest agency in the city. 207 E. SECOND ST., Los Angeles. HOME A4121. MAIN 2604. We furnish cooks, waiters, porters and all kinds other first-class help.

WANTED—BOYS; THE SATURDAY EVENING POST wants a few plucky boys to receive orders, deliver copies and make collections. High-class customers in best neighborhoods. No corner loafing with bad companions. Good pay and short hours. Need not interfere with school duties. JAMES BRADFORD, 404 S. Broadway, Los Angeles. 1

WANTED— HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 204 E. 2ND ST. Phones A4669; Main 252. Man and wife, ranch; man milk few cows or do ranch work, wife do house work, $60 month; orchard hand, $35 month; 2 at $30 month; 25 R.R. laborers, $2 day. 1

WANTED—A GENTLEMAN OF LARGE acquaintance, who can make a good commission without appearing as a solicitor, by applying to 204 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 4th and Main sts. The proposition is worth investigating by only the right man. 1

WANTED— JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 420 W. Sixth st. Home 3253, Main 4253. COOKS, WAITERS, PORTERS. Ranch hands, house and window cleaners. HOUR, DAY OR CONTRACT. 4

WANTED — ORNAMENTAL IRON AND wire and sheet metal workers and bricklayers for open shop work in Seattle. Address BUILDERS' EXCHANGE, 309 Arcade Annex, Seattle, Wash.

WANTED—3 FIRST-CLASS SHEET METAL cornice workers, out of town; steady employment; strictly non union. Apply giving experience. Address Y, box 45, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — BRIGHT CHRISTIAN BOY, about 14 years, to work in grocery; must furnish references; do not apply unless you are a Christian. Apply GROCERY, N.W. cor. Second and Figueroa.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HOUSEMAN; one who understands care of furnace; only one with references need apply. German or Swede preferred. HERSHEY ARMS, 2600 Wilshire blvd. 3

WANTED—2 FIRST-CLASS ORNAMENTAL iron and wire workers; steady employment; out of town; strictly non-union. Apply, giving experience. Address Y, box 44, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—I MADE $50,000 IN FIVE YEARS in the mail-order business; began with $5. Any one can do the work. Send for free booklet; tells how to get started. Manager, BOX 579, Lockport, N. Y.

WANTED—A FINE APPEARING GRAY physician with recent hospital experience; must be good case taker; good salary; permanent; no traveling. Call at 147 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN TO DO ALL kinds of work in bakery; salary $8 per week to commence. Address Z, box 21, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—SIGN WRITER, COMMERCIAL; must be first-class; steady work, $5 per day; fare advanced. ELMER J. WALLACE, 327 Stark st., Portland, Or. 6

WANTED — WE MAY HAVE THE POSItion you are looking for. Call and see us. GUARANTEE EMPLOYMENT ASSN., 238 I. W. Hellman Bldg., 411 S. Main. 1

WANTED — SALESMAN TO SELL OUR goods to all classes of merchants; fine side line; big profits; liberal terms. MODEL MFG. CO., Dept. T, South Bend, Ind.

WANTED—SECOND COOK, RESTAURANT; dishwasher. Call 7 o'clock ready for work. BROADWAY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 216 S. Broadway. 1

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COOK FOR R.R. grading camp; man able to handle three cooks and 300 men. ANDREWS & MARGRAVE, 430 I. W. Hellman Bldg. 1

WANTED—MEN WHO ARE WILLING TO make $10 to $50 per week without interfering with their other positions. Address OA, box 134, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MEN WHO COULD DEVOTE A few hours each week at their homes for a good compensation. Address OE, box 131, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD LIVE MAN TO DRIVE retail fish wagon. Good place to right man. Call at 1319 E. 8TH ST., near Central ave. Phone Main 4732. 3

WANTED—GOOD STENOGRAPHER, WHO understands Spanish. MIDDLETON'S EXCHANGE, public stenographer and notary, 414 Union Trust Bldg. F5015, Main 4159. 2

WANTED—GOOD, STRONG BOY, WITH some experience in bake shop; night work. O. K. BAKERY, 2113 Central. Tel. South 5038. 1

WANTED—CESSPOOL DIGGER. CALL 510 BUMILLER BLDG., 430 S. Broadway, Equity Building Co. 1

WANTED — MAN TO GO NORTH WITH stock. Call 140 S. Broadway. BEKINS VAN AND STORAGE CO. 1

WANTED—A FEW BRIGHT MEN, EXperienced in insurance preferred. Address C, box 1, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—EXPERIENCED JUNIOR DRUG clerk; young man. Address Y, box 101, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—2 MAGAZINE OR NEWSPAPER solicitors; new proposition. Apply 9 a.m., 292 WILCOX. 1

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER AND STENOGrapher, country, $60 to $75 month. MURRAY & READY, 110 E. Second st. 1

WANTED — MARRIED MILKER NEAR city, $50, found. MURRAY & READY, 110 E. Second st. 1

WANTED—BOY WITH WHEEL. R. Y. M'BRIDE, Printer, 216 W. Second st. 1

WANTED—BIDS FOR PAINTING NEW 5-room house. 211 GRANT BLDG. A1309. 1

WANTED—A SOLICITOR FOR MEAT MARket. Call at 5725 PASADENA AVE. 2

WANTED—TINSMITH. CALL EARLY. 1025 W. 17TH ST. 1

WANTED—JOB PRINTER AT 725 S. BROADWAY. 1

WANTED— Male or Female Help. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—STEADY MAN WHO CAN INvest $250 with services; to take ½ interest in a reliable cash business on Broadway, that will pay you $125 per month as your part; short hours, clean, agreeable work; experience not necessary as owner will teach you the business, you must be a man willing to learn. Call 127 S. BROADWAY, room 215 Mason Operahouse Bldg. 7

WANTED—MAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF fine paying cigar stand on Main st., who can invest $275. I will take $150 cash, balance $15 per month, no interest, fine cash register and fixtures that cost $300; fresh stock of cigars and tobaccos that cost $175 with 4 years lease, good laundry agency; cheap rent, experience not necessary. See owner, 702 S. SPRING ST., room 209.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—SALESMAN TO ASSUME AGENcy for reliable specialty lines; excellent proposition; small investment necessary. Call 325 CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK BLDG. 2

WANTED—
Help, Female.

Note—Applicants for positions are advised not to enclose original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

WANTED— HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 E. Second st. Restaurant waitress, Imperial, $30 etc.; waitress, country, $25 etc.; night cashier, Nevada, $30 etc.; 4 waitresses, lunch counter work, $25 etc.; woman dishwasher, $6 week, no Sunday; cook, small restaurant, $10 week; chambermaid, country, $25 etc.; chambermaid, apartment-house, $30 day; pantrywoman, $35 etc.; another, $30 etc.; housegirls, $25 etc. 1 HUMMEL BROS. & CO.

WANTED— HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 204 E. 2ND ST. Phones A4669; Main 252. 2 chamber girls, San Diego, $25 month; woman for cook and house work, ranch, $25 month; 2 hotel waitresses, near city, $25 month; cafe waitresses, $ week; girl mixed work, waiting, $25 month; house girl, Arizona, $25 month; man and wife, ranch, $50 month; many other positions; always work here. 1

WANTED — WOMAN OF FIRST-CLASS business ability to manage a strictly high grade women's shop, handling high class dry goods, specialties, embroideries, etc., in this city. Woman of business experience preferred; must be able to furnish bond and best references; give full record of past business experience. Address S, box 41, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—SCANDINAVIAN AND GERMAN girls; 16 for general housework, $25, $30, $35; second girl, out-of-town, $30; waitresses and chambermaids. Call early. SWEDISH EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 642-643 Chamber of Commerce. A6609, Main 1095. 128 S. Broadway. 2

WANTED — SERVICES OF AN EXPERIenced millinery trimmer; party must have marked ability as a trimmer and be capable of managing help; must produce A-1 references as to character and experience; good position for right party. G. A. HALE & CO., San Jose.

WANTED—PASTRY COOK, $32; BOARDING-house cook, $35, F. D.; chambermaid, $30, F. D.; $25; pantry girl, $25; nurse, $5 per week; kitchen girl, $30 fd.; 6 hotel waitresses, $25; 2, $30. 316 S. BROADWAY, Broadway Employment Office. 1

WANTED — A LADY OF LARGE ACquaintance, who can make a good commission without appearing as a solicitor, by applying to 204 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., Fourth and Main sts. The proposition is worth investigating by only the right lady. 1

WANTED—YOUNG STRONG WOMAN TO do general house work, for couple, Vermont and 49th sts. Work from 8 to 6, sleep home. State wages expected. Address Y, box 143, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—12 A-1 CHORUS GIRLS; MUST be good lookers, singers and dancers; long engagement; good salary; report Sunday, 10 to 12. EMPIRE THEATER, office upstairs.

WANTED—WET NURSE, OR ONE WHO can help nurse a small boy, at 2126 PASADENA AVE. Would take good colored nurse. EAST 412. 7

WANTED—A GOOD SWEDISH OR GERman girl for general housework; wages $30; no washing; must be competent. 'PHONE B3542. 1

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, 15 TEACHERS, California; 10, Nevada; 1, Arizona. CO-OPERATIVE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION, 521 San Fernando Bldg. 2

WANTED—LADIES WHO ARE WILLING to make from $10 to $50 per week without interfering with their other positions. Address OE, box 136, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WE MAY HAVE THE POSItion you are looking for. Call and see us. GUARANTEE EMPLOYMENT ASSN., 238 I. W. Hellman Bldg., 411 S. Main. 1

WANTED—YOUNG LADY CASHIER AND clerk; must have references; neat appearance. Call from 8 to 10 o'clock Saturday, 335 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER; ONE USED to Remington machine and mimeograph work; state experience and salary expected. Address Y, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — A THOROUGHLY EXPERIenced presser on fancy garments for dye works. Address Y, box 26, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—LADIES WHO COULD DEVOTE a few hours each week at their homes for a good compensation. Address OA, box 106, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A FEW BRIGHT YOUNG women as solicitors, insurance experience preferred. Address C, box 14, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — YOUNG LADY CASHIER, country department store. Address Z, box 12, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—MILLINER FOR COUNTRY DEpartment store. Address Z, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FOR OFFICE work, country department store. Address Z, box 10, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—A WET NURSE FOR AN INfant 1 month old. Address Y, box 54, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS GIRL, WITH good references, small family. 'PHONE B1021. 2

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED PRESSER for ladies' suits. Apply before 10 a.m., SUPT., Broadway Department Store. 1

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY ON A FARM as housekeeper for small family. Address S, box 130, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — MOTHER AND DAUGHTER, colored, general house work and assistant. PHONE E3912. 1

WANTED—2 LADIES TO REPRESENT EXcellent business proposition; good remuneration. 207 WILSON BLOCK. 1

WANTED — YOUNG LADY TO ASSIST IN home for room and board, while attending L. A. Business College. 417 W. FIFTH. 1

WANTED—CHAMBERMAID AT THE WATAUGA, 132 N. Broadway. 1

WANTED— Male or Female Help. (Instruction Course.)

WANTED—AT ONCE, MEN TO TAKE PRIvate instructions in expert designing and engineering; learn to use the slide rule and solve difficult problems. See me early and begin now. Terms low. Course free if you secure 5 students. Exceptional opportunity. Apply to "CONSULTING ENGINEER," 728 Merchants' Trust Bldg. 'Phone A6506. 3

WANTED— Male or Female Help. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED—YOUNG MAN BETWEEN THE ages of 18 and 25 are taught to operate the linotype machine at THE TIMES LINOTYPE SCHOOL, corner San Fernando and College sts., Los Angeles. Good operators are in demand in every section of the country, and the pay is above the average. It is possible to learn in from three to six months. Apply to SCHOOL MANAGER for terms.

WANTED—LADIES, LEARN HAIRDRESSing, manicuring, facial massage and hair manufacturing. We teach all branches, professionally. Diplomas and formulas given graduates. McDONALD'S COLLEGE, 304 Mercantile Place. Home Phone F3327. 1

WANTED—MEN TO LEARN ELECTRICITY, plumbing, plastering, bricklaying, all kinds of drafting and plan reading; day and night; no books; positions secured. Free catalogue. COYNE TRADE SCHOOL, 236-240 Eighth st., San Francisco.

WANTED — BRICKLAYING, PLUMBING, electricity and plastering are the highest paying trades; taught in few months; actual work—no books; day or night; installments. UNION SCHOOL OF TRADES, 120-124 E. Ninth st., L. A.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

WANTED—SUPERINTENDENT OF INSTItution for the young; no certificate or teaching required; man or woman, 30 to 45 years old, with executive experience and ability; man and wife without children could be advantageously employed; perfect trustworthiness and exemplary habits are essential; $900 and home. BOYNTON TEACHERS' AGENCY, 525 Stimson Bldg. 2

WANTED — MARRIED MAN TO MILK cow and two hours' work; wife assist in housework in exchange for rent of six-room cottage in Pasadena; family no objection. Call 1154 CENTRAL AVE., Los Angeles. 1

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE ON RANGE, Swedish man, competent farmer; wife, good cook. SWEDISH EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 642 Chamber of Commerce, 128 S. Broadway. 2

WANTED — AMATEURS FOR FRIDAY night. Call or address mgr. of Fisher's Theater, prizes to all.

WANTED—
Situations, Male.

WANTED—BY RELIABLE YOUNG MAN, position as solicitor or deliveryman in grocery. G. H., 128 W. 42ND. South 2072. 2

WANTED—POSITION BY BAKER, A1, ALL-round man; bread or cakes. Address 1226 MONETA AVE. Phone South 5516. 2

WANTED—POSITION AS COOK BY YOUNG Japanese man. TONO, 128 N. San Pedro st. 3

WANTED — POSITION AS GARDENER BY reliable, steady man; good references. F. COLE, 218 Winston st., city. 2

WANTED—POSITION ON RANCH BY A young man, American, and a hustler. F. T. KING, general delivery, Los Angeles. 3

WANTED—JAPANESE ATTENDING HIGH School wants position in family. Address Z, box 26, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED, INDUSTRIOUS American, with highest references, wishes position on small ranch or home place. Have had experience in all-round ranching. Am temperate and painstaking. If you want a reliable man who will positively look at all times to your interest, drop me a line, fully explaining situation. None but good people need answer. City or country. Good home chief object. Address Y, box 113, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — TEMPERATE, RELIABLE, INdustrious middle-aged American wishes position on fruit ranch. Have had experience in fruit culture and much handling of horses; would drive on road; desires homelike place and must be with good family, where attentive services would be appreciated. Steady employment only. Would manage ranch for widow; best of references; fully explain situation. Address Y, box 114, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—TRUSTWORTHY YOUNG MAN would like employment of some kind; age 22; high school education; speaks French; 3 years' experience as grocery clerk; 1½ years as meat cutter; raised on farm; not afraid of work; tend to business; good habits; references. H. J. LABARDEE, 532 S. Main. 2

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, 27, POSITION as accountant or clerical work; 10 years' experience, as railroad accountant; general business experience; can give bond; first-class references; reasonable salary to start. Address Y, box 157, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — SITUATION BY YOUNG MAN, single and of good habits; have had several years' experience as cashier in large newspaper office, and can give best of recommendations; wish to locate in California. Address Z, box 25, TIMES OFFICE. 4

WANTED—BY AN EXPERT AUTOMOBILE engineer, a steady position as chauffeur, private family preferred; own repairs; moderate salary; single, aged 25. EDMUND AUER, 240 S. Figueroa. Phone F7568. 2

WANTED—POSITION BY RESPONSIBLE experienced business and office man; familiar with accounts, systemizing, estimating, etc.; good manager. Address Z, box 60, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—SITUATION BY AN EXPERIenced fire insurance solicitor. Address Y, box 148, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—MAN, 41 YEARS OLD, WOULD like place, on small ranch, private place, for good room and board; can milk; references. Address Y, box 139, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—SITUATION BY BAKER, ALL around, good on cakes; steady job preferred to big wages. Address Y, box 111, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—WE SUPPLY OFFICE HELP. MIDDLETON'S EXCHANGE, public stenographer and notary, 414 Union Trust Bldg. F5015, Main 4159. 3

WANTED — SITUATION, BOOK-KEEPER and stenographer, with typewriter; small salary to start. Address Y, box 27, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—TAILOR, ALL-AROUND MAN, wants situation; can come at once if necessary. Address Y, box 131, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS WORKMAN wants employment at painting or paperhanging. E. D. M'CREA, 118 W. 15th st. Main 7562. 2

WANTED — SITUATION ON PRIVATE place, suburbs preferred, by single man; first-class horseman; willing and obliging; best of references regarding habits and ability. Address X, box 132, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—BY A BRIGHT JAPANESE, wants a position as school boy in family. K. FUJIMORI, 430 S. Flower st. Phone Main 5811. 1

WANTED — SITUATION; EXPERIENCED stenographer would accept position on moderate salary. Address Z, box 70, TIMES OFFICE. Phone E2329. 1

WANTED—$15 WEEKLY, BY BOOK-KEEPER, COLLECTOR; WIDE EXPERIENCE; CITY REFERENCES. ADDRESS Z, BOX 9, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—POSITION AS STABLEMAN OR anything where a first-class stockman is desired; live at home; local references. PHONE B2541. 1

WANTED—COMPETENT GARDENER AND florist wants work by day or month; best of city references. Address GARDENER, 671 Ceres ave. 1

WANTED—POSITION AS CHAUFFEUR, DO any extra work. Address Z, box 83, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED — YOUNG JAPANESE WISHES situation as a school boy in city. TEL. F5014. 1

WANTED—POSITION BY STEADY, SOBER camp cook, German; references. Address X, box 118, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—GOOD COOK WANTS JOB, CITY or country. Address X, box 119, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—BY JAPANESE, POSITION AS school boy. Address KODANI, 114 W. 9th st. 1

WANTED—POSITION BY BAKER, A1, ALL-round man; bread or cakes. Address 1226 E. 54TH ST. Phone South 3191. 1

WANTED—WELL EDUCATED YOUNG MAN desires position, any kind; references. PHONE B1171. 1

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GROCERYMAN wants position; city reference. PHONE 21171. 3

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED — WOMAN WITH BOY SEVEN, desires work as cook, small hotel, camp, for men on ranch or would keep house for an elderly couple. Good cook, and manager and not afraid of work. Please state wages, city or country. Address S, box 40, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — REFINED PROFESSIONAL graduate nurse from East wishes employment in good family to take care of invalid or the sick; terms reasonable. Address 521 W. 34D ST. 2

WANTED — SCANDINAVIAN AND GERman girls, family cook; second parlor and chambermaids; waitresses, competent help. A6609, Main 1095. SUITE 642-643 Chamber of Commerce.

WANTED — POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS young lady stenographer; 7 years' experience; rapid and accurate and not afraid of work; highest references. 'Phone E2871, or address STENOGRAPHER, 922 W. Eighth st. 1

WANTED — YOUNG LADY FROM EAST wants place to work as nurse or second girl; loves children; enjoys household duties; best of references. Address Y, box 145, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—JAPANESE GIRL WANTS POsition, plain cooking and little housework in small family, or lady's maid; speaks well; wages, a week, $7 or $8. Address Y, box 147, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—LADY'S MAID OR COMPANION; young woman just from the East; would like a position. Call or address 403 S. MATTHEWS ST., city. 3

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER for refined old gentleman; one with grown son preferred. Address MRS. JONES, 213 Belmont ave. 2

WANTED — BY REFINED AND INTELLIgent young lady, position caring for children; would travel or remain in city; thoroughly reliable. Address Y, box 128, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—A YOUNG LADY WISHES A position in a Christian home as children's governess. (Phone 29302.) Address 512 E. 21ST ST. 1

WANTED — LADY WANTS PLACE AS first-class cook or housekeeper in nice private family. Address Y, box 72, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—SOUTHERN WOMAN OF EDUcation and refinement wishes position as governess or companion at once. Address 711 E. 8TH, or 'Phone 23696.

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG LADY AS experienced telephone exchange operator; references. Address C, box 3, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—BY GOOD, RELIABLE GIRL, care of children during day. MISS M. K., 1116 E. 12th st. 'Phones B5547. 2

WANTED—COMPETENT STENOGRAPHER with ten years' experience, desires permanent position. Broadway 3248. Address R., 1513 SANTEE ST. 2

WANTED — MIDDLE AGED WOMAN would like position as housekeeper, or charge of small rooming-house. Call 222 N. GRAND AVE., mornings. 3

WANTED—POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS Swedish cook, will do house work in a small family, $35. Phone MAIN 3031. 135 S. OLIVE. 2

WANTED—SITUATION AS CASHIER OR book-keeper; 9 years' experience; quick and accurate at figures. Address Z, box 34, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—NURSE, COMPETENT FOR INfant or children; no other work; salary $30. 125 E. FOURTH. Main 1939. 1

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED stenographer and office assistant, 5 years with one firm. Phone BROADWAY 3691. 2

WANTED—SITUATION, DAY'S WORK AND washing to bring home. Tel. MAIN 9416. 1

WANTED—LAUNDRY WORK OR COOKing by day. 2102 SUNSET BLVD., corner Alvarado. Hollywood car.

WANTED — YOUR TYPEWRITING AND notary work. MIDDLETON'S EXCHANGE, 414 Union Trust Bldg. F5015, Main 4159. 3

WANTED — POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER by young woman with experience. Address or call 902 BRYSON BLDG. 2

WANTED — SITUATION BY JAPANESE girl, cooking, city family. Address Y, box 166, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED — A REFINED AGED LADY wishes employment as housekeeper in good family. Address 531 W. 53D ST. 2

WANTED—POSITION BY JAPANESE GIRL, as house work; has good experience. E., 419 E. FIFTH ST. 1

WANTED — BY LADY, POSITION AS cook, city or country. Inquire 728 W. 15TH ST. 1

WANTED—BY A WIDOW, WORK BY THE hour or day. Phone TEMPLE 847. 5

WANTED—
Situations, Female.

WANTED — SITUATION BY TRAINED nurse; will do house work reasonable. SO. 2861, 3377 E. 46TH. 2

WANTED — A MIDDLE-AGED FRENCH lady wants position as nurse or French teacher. Apply BOX 264, R. F. D. No. 4. 2

WANTED—SITUATION AS FIRST-CLASS cook, by Swedish girl, best of references. LYDIA HOLMER, 1342 Myrtle st. 2

WANTED—POSITION AS PIANIST OR ACcompanist by young lady. Phone F1463. 4

WANTED—
Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—JAPANESE COUPLE, ECONOMical and honest, wish situation in family; man first-class cook; wife waitress, housework or sewing, laundry; both best experience; references; anywhere. SUMI, 924 Olive ave., Redlands. 2

WANTED—BY AN EXPERIENCED JAPAnese couple, position, man as gardener or coachman, and wife as plain cook, housework or man only as a porter at furniture store. FRANK J., 237½ W. First st. 2

WANTED—BY MAN AND WIFE, WORK ON ranch or any other work; man is engineer from Germany; willing to do any work; no children. FRANK TIERHEIMER, 539 San Julian st. 2

WANTED—JAPANESE MAN AND WIFE want position, man as cook, wife housework and wait on table; both have many years' experience. Apply or address S. KO, 237½ E. First st. Main 5821. 2

WANTED—BY AN EXPERIENCED JAPAnese couple, position, man as gardener or coachman, and wife as plain cook, housework or man only as a porter at furniture store. FRANK, Y, 237½ E. First st. 2

WANTED—POSITION BY GERMAN MAN and wife as gardener and florist; wife good cook and housekeeper; no objection to country. Address Z, box 1, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—
Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—AGENTS; MEN AND WOMEN earn $10 a day selling our embroidered waists, silks, collars, shawls, veils, ostrich plumes, rugs, etc.; largest company in U. S. selling through agents. Write today for samples and exclusive agency. H. GOLDBERG & SONS, Omaha, Neb. 3

WANTED — 5 GOOD CANVASSERS ON small article, house-to-house work; good pay, and a chance for something better; only those willing to work for all there is in it need apply. 126 B. F. COULTER BLDG. after 10 o'clock today. 1

WANTED — EXPERIENCED LADY CANvasser to introduce two fine wines (no opposition) to families; salary and commission; must dress well and be of good address. Address Y, box 162, TIMES OFFICE. 1

WANTED—ADVERTISING SOLICITOR IN Los Angeles for special edition San Francisco long- established weekly. Only high class man need answer. Address JACOBS, 284 Pacific Bldg., San Francisco, Cal. 2

WANTED—FEW MORE GOOD AGENTS TO sell shares in La Aurora Plantation, tropical Mexico. Good investment for salaried people. See GREENE, 228 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 2

WANTED—LADY AGENTS ARE MAKING $25 per week selling our goods; no scheme; particulars free; write us now. BRUNO & CO., Box 511, Los Angeles, Cal. 4

WANTED—SOLICITOR FOR THE FAMILY trade; one with experience preferred. BROADWAY WINE HOUSE, 705 S. Broadway. 2

WANTED—SOLICITORS, EITHER SEX, TO sell perfume. Earn fine income. Call or address, GIRARD, 429 Germain Bldg. 3

WANTED—AGENTS ON SALARY, $15 TO $21 per week. Call 775 W. 18TH, corner Bond. Home Sunday. 1

WANTED—EXPERIENCED PHOTO COUpon man. KOHLER STUDIO, 543 S. Main. 2

WANTED—
Rooms and Board.

WANTED — ROOM WITH BOARD BY young bachelor, in private family of refinement; must be west of Main and south of Sixth st.; price $35 per month; where there are no other boarders preferred. Address Y, box 137, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD FOR MAN and wife, in private family; references exchanged. Address W. S. COOPER, Hotel Lankershim. 1

WANTED—
Rooms.

WANTED—THREE FURNISHED ROOMS by ladies from the East, in house of pleasant family, who find they have more room than they need; heat, and opportunity for light housekeeping; also chance for small vegetable garden desired; 5-cent fare. East Hollywood district preferred. Address Y, box 167, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—BY FEBRUARY 10, BY ELDERly couple, two or three unfurnished rooms with private family, close in preferred; rent not to exceed $10 per month. Address Y, box 71, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED — FURNISHED ROOM FOR housekeeping; lady and child. Address Y, box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—
Houses.

WANTED—4-ROOM BUNGALOW, NEAR Grand ave. or W. Adams car; must be a bargain; no commission; part down, balance time. Address Y, box 172, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—TWO BOSTON LADIES WOULD like to care for a furnished house or apartment during owner's absence; good references. Address Y, box 136, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—
Partners.

WANTED — PARTNER WITH $2000 FOR swell moving-picture theater to be fitted up on west side of Spring st., between Third and Fourth; (have store!) $1000 a month can be made if handled right; have the experience and equal amount asked for; if no cash, don't answer; no time to lose; references exchanged. Address B. E. D., box 84, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—LADY OF NEAT APPEARANCE, 25 to 40 years, with no incumbrances, that will invest $1000 or more in good paying business in suburbs, 20 minutes from city; this is life time proposition; no risk as I own the store. Give full particulars. Address Z, box 30, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—WE WANT 5 PARTIES TO BUY 200 acres of land; each take a 40-acre piece that will be set to grapes and cared for until matured, for $100 per acre; improved with house, barn and well of water. WELSHANS & COLE, 434 S. Hill. F5977. 1

WANTED—ACTIVE BUSINESS MAN TO take half interest in an established manufacturing works in this city; $4000 required, or proportional interest for less amount; fullest information given and required. Address Y, box 191, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—TO GIVE A CONTROLLING INterest in an entirely new business proposition; small amount of capital required; big money maker to right party. Address Y, box 26, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—PARTNER, LADY OR GENTLEman, to take interest in a first-class sanitarium; no limit to the income; you can handle the money; too much work for one. Call 3032 E. FOURTH. 2

WANTED—FINE OPENING; NEED PARTner; reliable party in established real estate business; legitimate proposition; $200 investment. Address Y, box 118, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $2000 TO INcrease business established two years. Profits run $200 to $300 monthly. Will stand investigation. Address P.O. BOX 324, Goldfield, Nev. 6

WANTED—PARTNER IN PHOTOGRAPHIC business on the road; must have some money. E. A. DENZIEN, 222½ Bunker Hill ave. 2

WANTED—A PARTNER WITH $2000 (MORE if necessary;) automobiles; Central and Southern California; must give his time. Address X, box 177, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $1200 TO GO into saloon business at Rawhide, Nev. Address Z, box 28, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED — TRUSTWORTHY YOUNG MAN would like employment of some kind; age 22, high school education, speaks French, 3 years' experience as grocery clerk, 1½ years as meat cutter, raised on farm, not afraid of work; tend to business; good habits; references. H. J. LABARDEE, 532 S. Main st. 2

WANTED—PROPERTY LISTED WITH US. Advertised free of charge, daily for ten days; no charge for listing. Let us collect your rents. JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 West Third st. 1

WANTED—TO RENT, 5 OR 6-ROOM FURnished cottage, South Pasadena, Alhambra or Oneonta Park district preferred. Address C. H. M., 1306 W. SEVENTH, or telephone Broadway 2905 evenings. 1

WANTED—ATTORNEY WITH FAMILY, 10 years' experience; position in law, collection, real estate office or position of responsibility; references; must have employment. Address Y, box 58, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—SMALL RANCH WITH IRRIgating water; not under 5 acres; must have lease for 2 years. Address Z, box 35, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—TO LEASE GOOD FRUIT OR stock ranch, equipped for work; shares or give good city residence. Address X, box 192, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—NEWSPAPER — WHOLE OR PART, TO right man; good property and plant; Los Angeles county. Address Y, box 54, TIMES OFFICE. 3

WANTED—
To Rent.

WANTED—POSITION AS GARDENER BY reliable, steady man, good references. F. COLE, 218 Winston st., city. 2

WANTED—GOOD JAPANESE COOK WANTS situation to work half days, or school boy. Phone F5014. JOHN. 2

WANTED—TO RENT TWO UNFURNISHED rooms within walking distance. 'Phone PATTERSON, A2835. 1

WANTED—
To Purchase Real Estate.

WANTED— Have client who will pay spot cash for a 7 or 8-room house in Westlake district; must be cheap; also have client for house north of Jefferson, west of Vermont, with lot 50x150 or larger, with stable in rear; can pay $2000 cash, and will not pay over $4500. Also want a 6-room bungalow on high ground, and can pay $1000 cash. If you haven't a bargain please don't reply. Write, giving full description, L. S. BOWEN, with THE H. BARCLAY BROWN CO., 2 331 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—JUST ARRIVED FROM EAST, will buy best bargains offered in 10 to 40-acre fruit ranches or larger grain and stock; will deal only with owners; valuations must be low in opinion of my own local expert examiner. Address X, box 50, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST MORTGAGE OF $3000, bearing 7 or 8 per cent., for equity in modern 8-room house, hardwood floors, 5 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, 2 lavatories, Monarch heater in kitchen, insuring hot water in every room at any time. East front lot, 80x200. N. Madison ave., near Colorado st., Pasadena. Owner's agents, S. JACOBY & CO., 221 Pacific Electric Bldg. 1

WANTED—RANCH, AT OR NEAR BURbank or Toluca, (near Los Angeles River preferred;) value not to exceed $3000, for nearly new 5-room cottage, located close in, this city, worth $3500, spot cash. ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE, LTD., Ground floor, Grosse Bldg., 122 W. Sixth st.

WANTED—1 TO 5-ACRE SUBURBAN PLACE with fruit trees and shrubbery; elevation 500 to 1000 feet above sea; either 9 or more rooms, modern house; old valueless house or vacant and near car line; give cash price if expect reply. Address Y, box 159, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—WE WANT 5 PARTIES TO BUY 200 acres of land; each take a 40-acre piece that will be set to grapes and cared for until matured, for $100 per acre; improved with house, barn and well of water. WELSHANS & COLE, 434 S. Hill. F5977. 1

WANTED—TO BUY, NEAR IN, 1 ACRE land, improved for raising poultry. Payments $200 cash, balance monthly installments. Tel. Home 22496, Home A3013, Main 3622. Address Z, box 22, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WE HAVE CLIENT, HAS CLEAR lot on W. Jefferson st., value $800; want to put in as first payment on 5-room modern cottage, balance monthly payments; must be west of South Park ave. BALDING & GREENOUGH, 316 E. Fifth. 2

WANTED—THE BEST PIECE OF VACANT property between East Los Angeles and South Pasadena, to be had in trade for a trust deed, $1700, good security. Address Y, box 146, TIMES OFFICE. 2

WANTED—WE WANT A GOOD LOT WITH small cottage in rear, in good locality; state lowest cash payment down with monthly payments; must be a snap. BALDING & GREENOUGH, 316 E. Fifth. 2

WANTED—VACANT LOT BETWEEN FIGUEROA AND HOOVER, 6TH AND PICO STS.; QUOTE LOWEST CASH PRICE. J. W. CUNNINGHAM, 328 CITIZENS' NATIONAL BANK BLDG. 1

WANTED—TO PURCHASE. HAVE CUStomer for vacant lot between Burlington and Main, and 9th and Pico. Price about $3000. OSCAR B. SMITH, 313-314 O. T. Johnson Bldg. 1

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TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED SUNNY rooms, modern home; prices reasonable. 1118 S. FLOWER ST. 1

TO LET—2 CONNECTING FURNISHED rooms for housekeeping, $3 weekly; also others, $1.50 up. 526 SAN JULIAN. 2

TO LET—STRICTLY MODERN FURNISHED room for gentleman, 2 blocks west of Figueroa. 1021 FLORIDA ST. 1

TO LET — NICELY FURNISHED FRONT room, walking distance; gentleman only; reference required. HOME F3930. 1

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TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING rooms, $10; also barn. 141 W. 16TH ST. 3

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TO LET—2 UNFURNISHED ROOMS, HALF of cottage; modern; lawn; $10, water free; Maple car to Wall. 3737 Adair st. C. A. CALE, South 2534. 1

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TO LET—EL REASO APARTMENTS, 1621 W. 7th st.; private bath and toilet; 3 rooms; all conveniences of 5; strictly first-class; $28 up.

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TO LET—WAYLAND APARTMENTS, CLOSE in, 239 S. Hope st. One three and one two-room suite, each with private bath, completely and tastefully furnished for housekeeping; elevator service; new building. Tel. F1417. 4

TO LET—$10; COMPLETELY FURNISHED housekeeping suite; use of phone, piano, machine, bath and laundry; also up-to-date apartment, same accommodations, $16. Apply 1324 FIGUEROA. 2

TO LET — 5 MINUTES' WALK FROM Courthouse. RENSHAW APARTMENTS, 712 California st., cor. Bunker Hill. Select, roomy 2-room apartments; low rates; no children; new fire-proof building; just opened. A6639. 2

TO LET — $12; YOU CAN RENT 3-ROOM apartment, completely furnished; heat, new, 11 Diamond st., 334 S. Figueroa, 532 Crocker, 520 Colton, 1003 and 1011 E. Ninth, $18, $12 W. Fourth.

TO LET—
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TO LET—900 POTTER PARK, NEAR FIGueroa and 7th. Aberdeen Apartments. Walking distance business district and postoffice. You will be pleased with our 2 and 3-room apartments.

TO LET—ST. LAWRENCE, 4-ROOM APARTments, elegantly furnished, Turkish rugs, cut-glass and everything modern. 42 ST. JAMES PARK.

TO LET—FURNISHED APARTMENT IN the NIRVANA, 5134 Pasadena ave. Beautiful Highland Park; new, modern; free lights. 3

TO LET — NEW MODERN 3 AND 4-ROOM suites in the sightly Crown Hills Apartment, (open 10a.) 1241 ARNOLD ST. 'Phone E3291.

TO LET—FOR $14, YOU CAN RENT HOUSEkeeping apartments, completely furnished, new gas range, phone, electricity, at 530 CROCKER, also 1011 East 9th st. 10

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TO LET—THE CLIFTON, 651 RUTH AVE., 2 and 3-room suites for housekeeping, furnished complete, $3 per week. Near S. P. depot. 6

TO LET — 4-ROOM APARTMENT, OAK floors, wall beds, range, nice lawn, big back yard. 1404 UNION AVE. Telephone 674 Hollywood. 2

TO LET—
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TO LET—ARDMORE, 941 POTTER PARK ave., near 7th and Figueroa; fine furnished apartments, private bath; low rates. E2411.

TO LET — FOR CLEAN COMFORT SEE THE STANLEY. Housekeeping apartments, new, modern, well furnished. $14 to $22. 528 GRIFFITH AVE.

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TO LET—FURNISHED APARTMENTS, suitable for couple, steam heat, both phones and sunny balcony. 839 W. WASHINGTON.

TO LET—A LARGE FRONT SUITE, OPposite Central Park; with piano; also single room. THE ROSSMORE, 416 West 6th st. 3

TO LET—SALISBURY APARTMENTS, 146 N. Bunker Hill, 2-room housekeeping suites. 7

TO LET—PARODIA, 944 W. SIXTH ST., 2-room housekeeping suites, private baths. 2

TO LET—THE ALBANY, 919 ALBANY ST., under new management; 2 and 3 room, modern housekeeping suites, $15 to $35.

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TO LET—BY LADY ALONE, FRONT ROOM with board, reasonable; walking distance. 840 SUNSET BLVD., ground floor. 2

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TO LET—AT 1350 S. HOPE, 2 SUNNY CONnecting rooms, suitable for party of 3; good table. B5699. 2

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED, SUNNY room, with board; easy walking distance. 925 BOSTON ST. Phone A3541. 1

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$30—Partly furnished, 7 rooms, Lorena.
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TO LET—1 NEW 5-ROOM COTTAGE AND 1 5-room cottage in rear. Call and see owner, between 6 and 9 p.m., at 731 E. 38TH ST., or call Sunday morning or phone South 1594. Home phone 29327. 2

TO LET—CAN'T BE BEAT IN CITY FOR $25—brand new 4-room place, nice neighborhood, walking distance. 410 S. GLESS ST. Take (green) Boyle Heights car to corner FOURTH AND GLESS STS. 1

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$18—1215 E. Eighth st., (1 block west of Central;) 5-room cottage, water paid.
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TO LET—WESTLAKE DISTRICT, 1635 W. 11th st., modern 6-room lower flat; light on four sides; rent $30, water paid. Key at 1053 S. UNION. 2

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TO LET—MODERN 4-ROOM HOUSE; GAS and electricity, etc.; fine corner. 627 E. 22ND. Take San Pedro-st. car. Phone South 2913. 1

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TO LET—MODERN 5-ROOM COTTAGE, 1361 E. 15TH ST. 7

TO LET — UNFURNISHED, COSY 3-ROOM cottage; no children. 960 E. 11TH ST. 1

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Make a payment just like rent and we will sell you a modern 5-room cottage, on 51st st., at a bargain, balance $30 per month. SECURITY INVESTMENT CO., 405 Fay Bldg. 3

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 6-ROOM BUNGAlow in famous University Place, southwest; strictly modern and up-to-date; lot 50x124; large lawn; $3900, small payment down. Take Dalton ave. car to Brighton ave. House, 5069 BRIGHTON, second house south; must sell immediately. Owner.

FOR SALE—PHENOMENAL OFFER, LARGE Swiss 2-story bungalow, large grounds, cement sidewalk, nicest location in Eagle Rock, upon beautiful knoll overlooking the valley. $3100 cash buys house, furniture and all for the Gates old homestead. Take car to Eagle Rock.

FOR SALE—A NEAT LITTLE CALIFORNIA house on a large lot on East 51st street near Central ave., for only $1250; terms $150 down, $20 month. For full particulars see Mr. Phillips, with GOLDEN STATE REALTY COMPANY, 619 S. Spring street. Both phones Ex. 56.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 5-ROOM HOUSE, new and modern in every particular, in the southwest; will take your vacant lot for first payment and make terms easy for balance. VAIL & CRANE, 524 S. Spring, rooms 304 and 305.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL 9-ROOM HOUSE and lot, 80x150, in choicest part of West Hollywood; small cash payment down, balance monthly or to suit purchaser. SUNSET HOLLYWOOD 61. 4

FOR SALE — NEW 1½-STORY, 6-ROOM house, oak floors, beam ceilings, buffet, large high lot; can be bought cheap. OWNER, 1111 W. 48th st. Take W. 48th st. car to Cypress, ½ block north. 2

FOR SALE—OR LEASE, FOR A TERM OF years, a lot 46x110, will lease for term of years for store or manufacturing business; have new modern 4-room cottage on the rear. Apply 720 E. 16TH ST. Phone South 1788.

FOR SALE—NICE FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW, modern, beds built-in wall, large lot 60x127; will take $1150 cash or $1600 in payments; $300 down, balance monthly. Call 745 MAIN ST. Mrs. F.

FOR SALE — CHEAP, A FINE 9-ROOM house on 30th st., near Grand ave.; all modern; large trees; fine flowers and stable; lot 60x147 feet; must sell at once. Apply to OWNER, 218 W. 30th st. 1

FOR SALE—$100 CASH, $30 A MONTH, INcluding interest, a good 5-room cottage, bath, mantel, toilet, wash basin, 50-foot lot, one-half block from South Park ave. Call at 4700 CENTRAL AVE. 1

FOR SALE — SWELL NEW BUNGALOW, all finished in quartered fir; look the city over, then I will show you the nicest and best bargain. 'Phone OWNER, A9611, B9152. 1

FOR SALE—5-ROOM COTTAGE NEAR 9TH and Tennessee, $2600, easy payments like rent. R. D. LIST, 400 I. W. Hellman Bldg. Phone A7643. 10

FOR SALE—8-ROOM HOUSE, IN WESTlake district; modern; shade and flowers; small payment down; balance on long time. 2412 W. NINTH. E2425. 2

FOR SALE—$7500, 418 PARK VIEW AVE., on hill, one block north of Westlake Park, modern 9-room house and large lot, $4000 down. SUNSET HOLLYWOOD 61. 2

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, HIGH CLASS 6-room cottage, southwest, $2900; only $100 cash and $25 monthly. THOMPSON, 3553 Dalton ave. Tel. B3568. 1

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, EXQUISITE, 6-room bungalow in southwest, just built, strictly modern, $3700, terms. THOMPSON, 3553 Dalton ave. Home Tel. B3568. 1

FOR SALE — MY $500 EQUITY IN LONG Beach residence lot at a great sacrifice, or will give equity as first payment on cottage in city. 1749 GROVER ST. 1

FOR SALE—BEST BARGAIN ON ARLINGton Heights, 4-room bungalow, bath, gas, electricity; lot 50x150; only $2300, $600 down; terms. 2625 GRANT ST. West 5268. 2

FOR SALE—A MODERN 5-ROOM BUNGAlow, hardwood floors, bathroom, plate-glass, dining-rooms. 1604 W. 21ST ST. 4

FOR SALE—6-ROOM BUNGALOW, NEW and modern; very low for cash; $1600; carries trade. Reid st. E1943. 1

FOR SALE—FURNISHED, MOVE TODAY; pay $100 down, 4 rooms, $1600. Keys 1571 E. ADAMS. Hooper car. 1

FOR SALE—FURNISHED 7 ROOMS, CORner, $2300; move today; pay $300 down. MINTHORN, 1570 E. Adams. Hooper car. 2

FOR SALE—NEW, FOUR-ROOM MODERN cottage, with bath, cheap. C. A. IRVINGTON, Sherman. 2

FOR SALE—FINE LEASE, CHEAP RENT. Inquire 223 W. THIRD ST. 1

FOR SALE—
"BUY FROM THE OWNER."
Beautiful bungalow in the Hollywood district, with one-half acre of ground, highly improved, with trees, flowers, fruits, berries and poultry yards.

The house is new, thoroughly modern, with 5 extra large rooms, oak floors, beamed ceilings, paneled walls, spacious bathroom, large closets, laundry trays and bricked-up cellar.

BIG BARGAIN AT $4500.

Take Bimini-Western ave. car on Broadway (5c fare) to Melrose ave. Go east 1 block, then north about 2 blocks to second house. Owner will show you. 1

FOR SALE—
NEW OWNER WANTED
at once for a beautiful modern Westlake residence on West 7th st., east of Hoover. The house is new and attractive; has oak floors; second floor has 4 fine bedrooms and large bath; third floor fine large billiard-room.

This is a bargain at $11,000.
Mortgaged for $4500.

Will consider any reasonable offer for my equity. Address Y, box 5, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—
ONLY $7000. TERMS.
WESTLAKE DISTRICT.
Strictly modern 9-room residence, oak floors, stone fireplace, beamed ceilings, library, paneled dining-room with large, beautiful, built-in buffet, cabinet kitchen, cellar with furnace. 5 sunny bedrooms, finished in white enamel; 50-foot lot, improved with choice plants and flowers; owner built this place for his home, best of everything.
See this as soon as you can. This price demands quick action.
ROBERT MITCHELL CO.,
515 Collins Bldg. L.A.R.B. 312 W. Third st.
Phones—Ex. 3231. Main 3231. 2

FOR SALE—CHARMING HOME,
ON BEAUTIFUL MENLO AVE.
Near West Adams; high grade houses make up this residence section.
This house is extremely modern and attractive; has 9 large rooms, oak floors, paneled walls; expensive lighting fixtures; furnace heat.
Beautiful grounds, 50x150.
I am "hard up" and will sell
FOR $7500, about half cash.
Owner's address X, box 296, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—BY OWNER, AT 2108 W. 29TH st., new 7-room bungalow, just completed. Most artistic in the southwest; entire porch and pillars and part of front wall of granite stone; also 2 chimneys and fireplace, clear to ceiling of granite stone, 2 buffets, built in with beveled glass, leaded glass and mirrors. Full length mirrors in den and hall doors; beam ceilings, leaded glass windows, oak floors and maple in kitchen and breakfast room, fine garage and driveway. Price $5000, easy terms. 2

FOR SALE—
SACRIFICE.
Fine new 6-room bungalow, best bargain in the southwest. Oak floors, beam ceilings, paneled walls, concrete veranda, leaded glass buffet, and plenty of cupboard room. 52 ft. north front, all street work done. $1000, $1600 cash. E. M. NUTTING, owner. A3724; Main 1733.

FOR SALE — CAESAR'S GHOST. THIS high class 6-room cottage $1000 below its actual worth; West Adams district; built-in effects; beautiful finish; every convenience; finely improved terraced lot; must sell quick; asking $4000; your own offer as to terms. If you are sincere, it's your turn now. WESTERVELT & ZEHNER, 222 Merchants' Trust Bldg. A5313; Main 5780.

FOR SALE—WESTLAKE HOME, AT $3000 sacrifice. 9-room residence, two-story garage, lot 50x150 to 20-ft. alley; hardwood floors, built-in mantel, bookcases and buffet; will sell completely furnished, all new or without furniture, half cash, balance terms, or will accept lot as part payment. See owner, 1003 WESTLAKE AVE. 3

FOR SALE — WE HAVE A STRICTLY modern cottage, well built; lot 50x135, street work all done. The house is 3 months old. Price $2560, terms $500 cash, balance $20 a month, including interest. This is a great bargain, fine location. We will sell to colored people. Address Y, box 161, TIMES OFFICE. 3

FOR SALE—$5250, A FINE MODERN 7-room bungalow, near Washington and Maple ave., also a fine suburban home near city; modern, 10 rooms, lot 55x240, no better for health and comfort. Both of these properties $1000 to $1500 below value. Address 33, box 71, TIMES OFFICE. 7

FOR SALE—
City Lots and Lands.

FOR SALE—
WEST PARK TRACT.
We have some beautiful new 4-room houses, polished oak floors, beamed ceilings and other up to date interior finish and will sell for small cash payment and balance like rent; you should see our tract, that is restricted to handsome residences only; quick service by Dalton-ave. or Inglewood-Redondo cars.
VAIL & CRANE, owners,
524 S. Spring, rooms 304 and 5.

FOR SALE—
WESTLAKE LOTS FOR QUICK SALES.
Genuine sacrifices on choice Westlake-Wilshire lots. See these before buying and you can save hundreds of dollars.
$1150—50 ft., near Francis and Hoover.
$1500—50 ft., near Hoover and Seventh.
$1800—60 ft., near Wilshire and Catalina.
$2100—60 ft., near Berendo and Wilshire.
$2800—75 ft., cor. on Kingsley near Wilshire.
ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO.,
118-19 Mer. Trust Bldg. A9942, Main 2233. 21

FOR SALE—NO ADOBE. NO MUD AT THE end of the Garvanza, Eagle Rock AVENUE (yellow) car line. 5-cent car fare. Take the car on Main st. and go to the end of the line and get out of the mud. Decomposed granite soil is as clean as beach sand in wet weather. 5-cent car fare. No mud. Go and see for yourself, but be sure you get the Eagle Rock AVENUE car and go to the end of the line. 5-cent fare. No mud. Acre lots.
CRITES, MYERS & KULLI, at the end of the car line, or at 107 S. Avenue 64.

FOR SALE—$300 BELOW MARKET; LOT 40x142 to 15-ft. alley on Court street between Toluca and Douglas sts.; splendid location for apartments; easy walking distance from the center of the city; sewer in and street work done. Will accept savings bank accounts from the Security or German-American Savings Bank. Price $1150.
BROTHERTON & BENEDICT,
Phones F4910, 533 Security Bldg.
Bdwy. 2361. 5

FOR SALE—
A genuine snap in the Wilshire District.
Lot worth $3000 for $2250, 1-2 cash.
This is only ½ what this lot will sell for within 12 months. East front on Western ave., right at 6th street, size 60x150.
HAY & HARDWICK,
A3307; Main 6469. 734 Bryson Bldg.

CHEAPEST AND BEST FOR MONEY IN THE CITY.
City lots only $125 and up; 5c car fare; nice sightly lots situated on high ground and commanding fine view of surroundings; overlooking East Lake Park, on $5 monthly payments. For particulars see MR. KAHN, with Golden State Realty Co., 609 S. Spring st. Both Phones Ex. 56.

FOR SALE—TO GET OUT OF THE MUD take an Eagle Rock AVENUE-Garvanza yellow car on Main st., be sure it says Eagle Rock AVENUE, and go to the end of the line. 5-cent fare. No adobe. No mud. For a home out of the mud see our office at the end of the Eagle Rock-AVENUE car line. CRITES, MYERS & KULLI, 107 S. Avenue 64, or Garvanza P. O. Bldg.

FOR SALE—LARGE, LEVEL LOT, EAST front, in the Wilshire blvd. section, for only $1350. Only $150 down, balance small monthly payments. No interest and no taxes for two years. Only one block from car line. I must sell. Address X, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—
I have a lot, 60x140, on Burlington ave., near Sixth st.; this is a corner lot and will sacrifice it at a low price; $1500 cash required. 'Phone for particulars.
A4096. OSCAR B. SMITH,
1 212 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

FOR SALE—IF YOU'LL BUILD ONE OR more houses costing $1500, more or less, I can make your cash do double duty in buying a lot in several fine locations; cash will really talk doubly loud this week if you see McGRATH, with STRONG & DICKINSON, Second and Broadway.

FOR SALE—HERE IS YOUR CHANCE; I will give $50 bonus for cash, on my equity in a property of $575, being paid regularly $12.50 per month; bearing interest at 7 per cent., semi-annual. Address 1414 E. 55TH ST. Phone South 4004. 1

FOR SALE—$600—$650—$800.
The best lots for money in South Pasadena; gas, trees and climate; easy terms; good car service.
RALPH M. WATSON,
601 Grant Bldg. A6467. Broadway 4575.

FOR SALE—IN HIGHLAND PARK, BEAUtiful hill lot, 50x150, also corner lot, 40x140; terms to suit. Apply to OWNER, G. A., Redondo P.O. 3

FOR SALE—LOT ON MAGNOLIA AVE., south of Adams, suitable for flats or residence. Phone WEST 43 or call 3106 VERMONT AVE. 2

FOR SALE—EQUITY IN GOOD LOT, CLOSE in bargain for some one; need ready cash. Address Y, box 47, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—2 LOTS, 60 FT. FRONT, ON 100-ft. boulevard; $350, sacrifice. Phone WEST 4952. No agents. 1

FOR SALE—
THE FINEST ACRES
EVER OFFERED
IN SMALL TRACTS.
I am cutting up the best portion of the famous Bixby ranch in acre to five acre pieces, and it will be to your interest to make early selection. This land is the best in this vicinity, without any qualification or modification whatever. It has never yet been ascertained what will not grow upon this soil for it has developed everything from onions to oranges. It is a farm with a reputation for it made its owner wealthy. You can obtain visual proof of its fertility by visiting it. The corn stalks standing are ten feet high; alfalfa yields seven cuttings a year. Potatoes, vegetables, berries and all modern products grow bigger and better there. Walnuts find their best development there. Oranges do so well in that section that a neighbor is now setting out forty acres more. Crops go with the land.
FREE WATER PIPED DIRECT.
FROM UNFAILING FLOWING WELLS.
ALL THIS 30 MINUTES FROM SIXTH AND MAIN STREETS.
UNTIL FEBRUARY 1.
$250 AN ACRE.
ON FOUR YEARS' TIME.
AFTER FEBRUARY 1, A SHARP ADVANCE. GET ONE OR MORE ACRES NOW.
"You're safe at Firth's."
EMIL FIRTH,
319 W. Fourth st., between Broadway and Hill. Phones—A5105. Main 2542.

FOR SALE—
Ramona Park, 17 minutes from Main st. on the Covina line; a finished suburban subdivision. The element of doubt and risk does not exist. Pretty homes now there and others being built.
We are making exceptional inducements to the right kind of people who are looking for the right kind of home sites. If we told the whole truth here it would sound like exaggeration.
Come and see for yourself.
ALTHOUSE BROS.,
430 S. Broadway. Room 418. 2

FOR SALE—
ARE YOU ENGAGED TO BE MARRIED?
Do you realize that 80 per cent. of the divorces are on account of the women (God bless 'em) not having comfortable homes, with congenial surroundings? We have solved the problem of happy homes for genteel people with moderate means and refined tastes. Glad to have you call and talk the matter over with us, or send us your address.
LYONS DIVIDENDS COMPANY,
209 Mercantile Place,
7 Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—
Florentine Square—Florentine Square.
Florentine Square—Florentine Square.
—Get the habit of—
—repeating this aloud—
Incomparable location, view, environs; 5-cent car fare. Lots $500 up. Terms right. Houses built to order.
LYONS DIVIDENDS COMPANY,
7 209 Mercantile Place.

FOR SALE—NO ADOBE. NO MUD. NOW is the time, after the rain, to select a lot for your home. The loose, decomposed granite soil in our Oak Grove tract does not form mud after a rain. It is more healthful than adobe, as it does not become sour and soggy when wet. Lots $175 to $500, on easy monthly payments. Near 5-cent yellow car line. Also acre lots.
Take Eagle Rock AVENUE, Garvanza (yellow) car on Main st. and go to the end of the line. 5-cent fare. No mud.
CRITES, MYERS & KULLI, at the end of the car line, or at 107 S. Avenue 64.

FOR SALE—
FOR SALE—SEE HOW THE LOT LOOKS in wet weather. There is no adobe—there is NO MUD—on those level lots in our Oak Grove tract near the end of the Eagle Rock AVENUE-Garvanza (yellow) car line. 5-cent fare. Those fine, large, level lots are only $450 on easy monthly payments. Other lots, $175 to $500. No mud. 5-cent fare. Also acres.
CRITES, MYERS & KULLI, at the end of the Eagle Rock AVENUE-Garvanza (yellow) car line. You take it on Main st. 5-cent fare. No mud at this end.

FOR SALE—LOTS, 50x137, $50 UP, $10 DOWN, $5 month. 404 S. Hill st. JOHN BOHN, owner. 1

FOR SALE—
Business Property.

FOR SALE—
ON OLIVE ST. ON OLIVE ST.
Between Sixth and Seventh sts., the Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Co. fine building goes up diagonally across, and the handsome Los Angeles Athletic Club only ½ block south; now I own and offer 60x155 at a decided bargain. Address OWNER, Z, box 67, Times Office. 3

FOR SALE—SNAP; $30,000 CASH; A $45,000 business income, 8½ per cent. net; property rented to steady tenants; will positively double in 2 years; owner must have money; speak quick; no commission at this price. OWNER at 533 I. W. Hellman Bldg. F9069. 1

FOR SALE—FOR WAREHOUSE OR FACtory purposes; about 20,000 square feet, near Third st., close to Santa Fe tracks, at a bargain. R. W. KINSEY, 1350 S. Union ave. Home phone A9095. 3

FOR SALE—LARGE FRONTAGE ON E. Seventh, between Main and Los Angeles sts. Nominal improvements, small cash payment, balance long time. For particulars see owner, 519 HOMER LAUGHLIN BLDG.

FOR SALE—
Income Property.

$40,000 NEW MODERN APARTMENT house, income $7200, or 18 per cent. a year, central location. T. WIESENDANGER, 207 S. Broadway.

$35,000—MODERN APARTMENT HOUSE, large lot, central, income $1800, 13 per cent. a year. T. WIESENDANGER, 207 S. Broadway.

CONTRACTORS—
And Builders.

FOR SALE—
If you own a desirable lot we will build an artistic bungalow, cottage or two-story residence.

Payment can be made in cash, or we will take back a mortgage, 3 years, at 7 per cent., for cost of house; most reasonable prices can now be given and high class workmanship guaranteed.

Plans and specifications furnished and estimates of cost supplied free of charge.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
213 West Third st. 1

ANDERSON MILL COMPANY—
We want to build your house. Get our estimate. We will help you plan your house and furnish plans and specifications free. We have a three-story brick mill, equipped with the most modern machinery, a large stock of dry finish lumber kept in sheds. We have had 15 years' experience in Los Angeles building. We are experts, let us show you. Everything guaranteed. First-class residences a specialty. City office, 209 Union Trust Bldg. Phone A1947. Mill and yards, 626 to 642 W. 29th st. Phones B6333, South 4328.

F. J. LEAVER & CO.,
CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.
We quote lowest prices in city. We own our own lumber yards.
2-ROOM HOUSE, $75 to $115; 3 ROOMS, $195.
4-ROOM HOUSE, $180 TO $325.
$800 builds artistic modern 5 room bungalow. Rooms 218-19 San Fernando Bldg., S.E. corner Fourth and Main. Main 2748. 1

$70 BUILDS 2-ROOM HOUSE.
$180 builds 4-room house.
Lowest bids on all classes of buildings, cash or payments; office open every evening, 7 to 8:30. SECURITY BUILDING CO., 215 Huntington Bldg., Sixth and Main. 1

WE SKIN 'EM ALL ON PRICES. SEE US and we'll prove it; plans free. EQUITY BUILDING CO., 510-11 Bumiller Bldg., 430 S. Broadway. 'Phone Home A4698, Main 4201. 3

FOR SALE—
Hotels and Lodging-houses.

FOR SALE—16 LARGE ROOMS, GOOD FURniture, clears $60 per month; 3 blocks from Broadway and First. Owner leaving city. $450, snap. F. L. CRAIG, 106 S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—GOOD FURNITURE 8-ROOM house, would reserve part if desired. Close in; house modern, paying proposition. 356 W. 9TH ST. 3

FOR SALE—ROOMING-HOUSE, ALWAYS full, clearing $100 per month; price $1500; owner sick; no agents. Address Y, box 7, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—NICELY FURNISHED SMALL rooming-house, lawn and flowers, a home; also a money maker; must sell, $1000, terms. 1142 S. FLOWER ST. 2

FOR SALE—MODERN 35-ROOM ROOMINGhouse, income $400 month. Some trade. Address Z, box 37, TIMES OFFICE. 2

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—NEWLY FURnished 40 room house, modern, central. Owner. 704½ W. THIRD. 4

FOR SALE—GOING NORTH, WILL SACRIfice beautiful furniture 12 large, sunny rooms. Call at 1306 S. HILL ST. 1

FOR SALE—ROOMING HOUSE OF FIFTY rooms, doing good business, Hanford, Cal. Address BOX 73, HANFORD, CAL. 2

FOR SALE—OR RENT—23-ROOM HOUSE, furnished; located on S. Spring st. G. H. COMTE, 165 S. Broadway. 2

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
H. C. DECKER, 'Phones Main 4177, A3323.
452½ S. BROADWAY, Los Angeles.

HEADQUARTERS FOR ROOMING-HOUSES, HOTELS, APARTMENT-HOUSES AND EXCHANGES.

Flat, 6 rooms, only	$ 350
60 rooms, best in Los Angeles	5,000
Apartments, 79 rooms, exchange	5,000
Hotel, 125 rooms, fine	12,000
31 rooms, apartments, only	2,800
6 rooms on the hill	450
Flat, 6 rooms, new, corner	325
12 rooms, S. Grand, exchange real estate	5,000
5-room flat, $100 cash, balance payments	350
18 rooms, new, apartments, exchange	4,500
35 rooms, transient, clears $300	2,800
13-room hotel, payments or exchange	2,000
40 rooms, rent $125, on New High st.	2,850
22 rooms, exchange for flat	1,500
25 rooms, fine corner, money maker	1,800
The best apartment-house, clears $400	8,500
11-room cottage on Figueroa	350

14 ROOMS ON ONE FLOOR—NEW, GRAND CORNER; running water; rent only $50; clears $100; best location; price $1000, part payments.

THIS Is DECKER'S BEST BARGAIN.
41-ROOM TRANSIENT HOUSE.
MUST BE SOLD.
OFFER WANTED.

46-ROOM ROOMING-HOUSE FOR APARTMENT-HOUSE; $5000.

APARTMENT-HOUSE FOR HOUSE AND LOT. PAY CASH DIFFERENCE.

APARTMENT HOUSE FOR EXCHANGE for real estate, 36 rooms, fine corner, new building, new furniture; offer wanted.

40 ROOM ROOMING HOUSE, NEW BRICK building, new elegant furniture, 5 years' lease, steam heat, hot and cold water; every room occupied, clears $300 per month, owner must leave the city, part in small payments, this is a chance for you. See it.

58-room apartment, clears $250	$ 4,000
25 rooms, rent only $80, clears $125	1,050
110-room hotel, exchange for real estate	20,000

H. C. DECKER, 452½ S. Broadway. 1

FOR SALE—
BEST BUY
IN LOS ANGELES
A newly furnished 30-room house, centrally located, always full, fine income, no better investment in city. Must sell. Call immediately on owner, 740 SOUTH SPRING. 3

FOR SALE—$6250. FURNITURE AND lease of an apartment hotel or lodging-house, right on Broadway, Los Angeles, paying nearly $5000 net a year. Biggest genuine bargain in Los Angeles. See L. G. ALLIN, The Zephyr, Venice.

FOR SALE—A SNAP. IF YOU HAVE A few hundred dollars cash and cottage to exchange for a nicely furnished rooming house, a money maker, centrally located, call owner, F4315. 2

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—FINE FURnished transient house, 11 rooms, clear; best location; $500 can handle it, or trade for small cottage, with some clear lots. 145 N. MAIN. 2

FOR SALE—11 ROOMS OF FURNITURE, cheap; good location. 234½ CROCKER. 1

FOR SALE—
Country Property.

FOR SALE—
$25 ACRE.
KERN ISLAND DELTA LAND.
WATER IN THE DITCHES.
Best land of its type in California, rich sediment soil—close to Bakersfield on Southern Pacific. Seventh Home Extension Club just forming—opportunity to join is open until February 3. 700 families will locate on this land, and build a town surrounded by fertile farms. Only club members can buy at the whole price. Outsiders have paid $125 to $150 an acre for land across the road. Attend stereopticon lecture any evening call during day time, or send 5c postage for new plan booklet.
CALIFORNIA HOME EXTENSION ASSOCIATION, Ground Floor, Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

FOR SALE—
5, 10, 20
acres, 4 miles from the city, on two roads, 10 cents car fare.
SOIL
is deep and rich and now is the time to buy and get the ground ready for planting.
UNLIMITED SUPPLY
of artesian water for irrigating.
DON'T DELAY
for this is a chance of a lifetime, think it over, land with water, near the city for $350 per acre, ¼ cash, balance
EASY TERMS.
F. H. BROOKS COMPANY,
215-16 Currier Bldg., 212 W. Third st.
21 Both phones.

FOR SALE—SNAP.
10, 20 or 25 acres of fine level sandy loam soil, on Central ave., Burbank; only 11 miles from the Courthouse, this city, and 4 miles from Hollywood; surrounded by alfalfa and berry ranches, and in the midst of the finest farming land close to Los Angeles. This property will pay for itself in alfalfa in three seasons. If you are looking for a first class ranch property, see this. Price only $225 per acre, with unlimited water at practically no cost.
ERKENBRECHER SYNDICATE,
Ground floor, Grosse Bldg.
123 W. SIXTH ST.

FOR SALE—EXCURSION ON MONDAY, 8 a.m., Coachella Valley lands in earliest crops and greatest returns; guaranteed titles and rich, sandy loam; gushing wells of finest artesian water, abundance of mesquite wood; cheapest land in the State. Roosevelt says they will be worth from $800 to $1500 per acre.
THERMAL REALTY CO.,
L. C. PFAFFENBERGER, 2417 Michigan ave., Los Angeles, Cal.
Ring up Boyle 87. Or call C. C. Eberhart and M. R. Watson at main office, Thermal, Riverside Co.

FOR SALE—WANTED MEN AND WOMEN
TO TAKE UP GOVERNMENT LAND
We have information of a large tract of fine sandy loam land, level and free of alkali, where water can be developed.
YOUR OPPORTUNITY IS NOW.
Send for our booklet "Free Land Tracts."
COLONY ORGANIZING,
INTERSTATE LAND CO.,
526 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG. 1

FOR SALE—
ORANGE COUNTY.
FRUIT, TRUCK AND BERRY LANDS.
RANCHES, 2½ ACRES TO 20 ACRES.
PRICES $150 AN ACRE AND UP.
TERMS $15 PER ACRE CASH.
BALANCE 1, 2 AND 3 YEARS.
JACOB STERN,
1 404 PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG.

FOR SALE—ALL ON TIME.
20 and 40-acre tracts.
2½ miles from Fresno city; abundance of water, with perfect water right; land rich and level; $125 per acre; interest 6 per cent. per annum net. All on five years' time; interest annually in advance. These unusual terms to parties who will improve.
S. N. GRIFFITH, owner, Fiske Bldg.,
Fresno, California.

FOR SALE—
Cheap farm, fruit and alfalfa lands in most prosperous and rapidly-growing section of the State; climate perfect; soil unexcelled; splendid transportation facilities; social conditions all that can be desired; rainfall, 22 inches annually; produces all crops without irrigation. Free information. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, San Luis Obispo, Cal.

FOR SALE—TOURISTS AND HOMESEEKers; the biggest snap in Antelope Valley, for sale or exchange, in 40-acre tracts or more; clear acreage; grows anything; especially adapted to alfalfa and grapes; climate unsurpassed; artesian belt; owner needing money will sacrifice; price $5 per acre. OWNER, address Z, box 31, Times Office. 2

FOR SALE—
We own 400 acres improved ranches, in Orange Co., with lots of water. We are going into the oil business, and will sacrifice this land; 5 acres or the whole.
M'CRAY & O'DONNELL CO.,
402 Security Bldg.

FOR SALE—TULARE FARM LANDS.
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YOU CAN MAKE $100,000 IF YOU ARE ABLE TO INVEST $20,000; THE BUSINESS IS LOCATED IN THE HEART OF THE BUSINESS DISTRICT; LONG ESTABLISHED AND WELL KNOWN; NO MANUFACTURING, NO MINING, NO REAL ESTATE, NO OIL, NO SPECULATING, BUT REAL BUSINESS. ADDRESS Y, BOX 153, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR RENT—SALE, OR EXCHANGE, COMplete and elegantly furnished, Martin's Cafe and Grill, seats 150; cafe on ground floor; grill and cafe in basement; only cafe in Pasadena having liquor privilege; government license all that's required; think of it, in a dry city of 30,000; clear lot, 45x175; they want to sell the lot, 2 buildings, barn, horse and wagon; in fact, everything for $2500, with $1000 cash. BALDING & GREENOUGH, 215 S. Fifth.

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WANTED—RELIABLE MAN WHO WANTS to make something of himself, a half interest in a nice, clean, old-established cash business that requires no former experience, as the owner will teach you the business; short hours, agreeable work, and will pay you $125 per month as your part; this only required as investment of $250; you must be steady man. Call 702 S. SPRING ST., room 208.

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WE HAVE GOOD LOANS FOR YOUR GOOD MONEY. COME AND SEE US.
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WANTED—$9000, 1 YEAR, AT 8 PER CENT. or 2 years at 7 per cent., on choice business corner, E. Seventh st., improved.
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For 3 years, at 7 per cent., security 4-story building, conservatively worth $270,000, under lease for 10 years, at $16,500 per annum.
This is an exceptionally gilt-edge loan, the owner of this property has over $300,000 worth of unincumbered property in heart of the city, besides the above property. Principals only. Apply 222 O. T. JOHNSON. 'Phone A[illegible]. 2

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Standard No. 1	.01	.04
Standard No. 2	.01	.04
Southern Telephone Electric	8.00	12.00
Mohawk, Jr.	.01	.02
Manhattan Mining Venture	.00¼	.00¾
Pacific Wireless	1.25	2.25
Lower Cal. Gold Dredging	.30	.45
Angelus Hospital	bid	
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FOR SALE—RANCH HORSE. 988 TOWNE AVE. 'Phone Broadway 4112, Los Angeles. 2

FOR SALE — GOOD DRIVING OR SADDLE mare, $75. Address 1611 MAUBERT AVE., Los Angeles. 2

FOR SALE—FRESH COW, BIG MILKER. Inquire at 434 S. HILL ST. John Bohn. 2

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THAW IN SUSPENSE.

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with the punishment which may follow a verdict at your hands. Your sole function is to determine if any crime has been committed and its grade, and leave the penalty to those responsible for its imposition."

Justice Dowling told the jury they should bear in mind that the prisoner is presumed to be innocent until the jury has been convinced beyond a reasonable doubt that he is guilty and that the burden of proof as to every material element rests upon the prosecution throughout. It was within the power of the jury to accept or reject the testimony of any witness in whole or in part, and also to determine the weight of importance to be given to the testimony of any witness. After explaining at length the considerations which the jurors might take into account in weighing the testimony of witnesses, Justice Dowling referred to the so-called Hummel affidavit. He had told them that if a witness had been convicted of crime they might consider that fact in weighing his testimony; and also that if they found that any witness had deliberately testified falsely they were at liberty to disregard his testimony entirely.

EVELYN'S AFFIDAVIT.

"You will recollect that the affidavit of Evelyn Nesbit was not received in evidence as affording either truth or falsity of the statements therein contained," he said, "but solely for the purpose of seeking to establish the fact that the witness had made statements under oath contradictory of or inconsistent with those made by her at this trial.

"And if you find that contradictory or inconsistent statements were actually made by her, or by any other witness as to matters actually involved in the main issue herein as testified to, you may take that into consideration in arriving at a conclusion as to the credibility of such witness or witnesses. But contradictory or inconsistent statements as to trivial or collateral matters are not to be considered by you as affecting the credibility of a witness."

The various degrees of homicide were defined and the justice devoted much time to elucidating the legal meaning of the words "deliberation and premeditation." These words, he said, imply the capacity at the time of the crime to think and reflect and by the use of these powers to refrain from doing a wrongful act. He said that in the consideration of deliberation and premeditation the jury might take into account the acts of the defendant immediately preceding the shooting, his acts on the roof garden and the incidents attending the shooting itself.

"A sane man and voluntary agent, acting upon motives, must be presumed to contemplate and intend the necessary, natural and probable consequence of his acts," he continued. "If therefore, one voluntarily or wilfully does an act which has a direct tendency to destroy another's life, the natural and necessary conclusion is that he intended to destroy life. You are not to be prejudiced by any testimony which reflects upon the character of the defendant. In the eye of the law, to murder the vilest and most abject of the human race is as great a crime as to murder its greatest benefactor.

"There is no testimony to controvert the proof that Stanford White came to his death as the result of a pistol shot wound inflicted by the defendant. The defendant, under a plea of not guilty, has entered a specification that at the time of the occurrence in question he was insane, and that therefore, under the law, he is not responsible for his acts at the time in question.

"Where the defense is insanity and the evidence is given tending to establish that defense the general question is presented whether the crime was committed by a person responsible for his acts and the burden of establishing sanity is upon the prosecution, and if in the whole case any reasonable doubt remains in your mind as to the defendant's insanity, he is entitled to the benefits of that doubt and to be acquitted upon that ground.

"The only question for you to decide is whether the defendant was, or was not, insane on the evening of June 25, 1906, when the shooting occurred. But the testimony of family history, of his prior life, illness and condition, and of subsequent mental and physical state, is received to cast light upon the question of the defendant's mental condition at the time in question. The proof of antecedent acts, is, like the proof of hereditary taint, offered for the purpose of casting further light upon his condition, the point at issue, by proving his earlier and recurrent or continuous mental state.

"You will weigh the testimony of the experts as you do the other testimony in the case. You are not bound by it unless you deem it worthy of your credence.

"To conclude, if you are satisfied beyond a reasonable doubt upon the proof that, at the time of the commission of the act charged in the indictment, the defendant knew the nature and quality of the act he was doing and that the act was wrong, you will find him guilty of such degree of crime as under the law as heretofore laid down the evidence has satisfied you of his guilt beyond a reasonable doubt.

"If, on the contrary, you are satisfied upon the proof that at the time of the committment of the act charged in the indictment, the defendant was laboring under such a defect of reason as either not to know the nature and quality of the act he was doing, or not to know the act was wrong, or if you entertain a reasonable doubt as to whether the defendant was laboring under such a defect of reason as not to know the nature and quality of the act he was doing or not to know the act was wrong you will acquit the defendant on the ground of insanity."

SAYS FRANCE NEEDS SHAKING.

PARIS, Jan. 31.—Capt. Maurice Loir, an expert, attached to the naval reserve, in a lecture before the French Maritime League tonight, gave it as his opinion that war between the United States and Japan was inevitable at some later date, because the industrial and imperialistic ambitions of the two nations were bound to bring about a clash. Capt. Loir also declared that France needs a Roosevelt or a William to awaken the nation to the necessity of developing her maritime interests.

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RECEPTION AT THE BIVOUAC TO LOYAL LEGION MEMBERS.

More Than Eighty Companions of the Southern California Society of the World-Famous Military Order the Guests of Gen. Otis—The Affair Entirely Informal.

A brilliant company gathered at The Bivouac last night on the occasion of the reception tendered the Southern California Society, Companions of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, by Gen. H. G. Otis. More than eighty members of the order were present, among them many officers who held important commands during the Civil War.

By special request of the host, one of the lady guests, Mrs. Jefferson D. Gibbs, took the place of hostess and assisted Gen. Otis in receiving the veteran officers. Gracious assistance was also rendered by a bevy of young ladies embracing Miss Frances Hope Richards, Miss Lillian Rand, Miss Marian Otis McPherron, Miss Edith Gibbs and Miss Constance Chandler.

Two miniature sentries, Vaughan Gibbs and Clarence Bruns, clad in uniform and equipped with rifle and side arms, were posted at the entrance to the reception hall, and as each veteran officer entered they brought their pieces to the "present" with a precision that would have done credit to experienced soldiers.

Gen. Otis's headquarters, the new "den" in the Bivouac, were thrown open and cigars were provided for the guests. Orders were issued instructing all to make them elves thoroughly at home and the house was turned over to the companions.

No formal programme was followed, informal conversation being the general rule of the evening. There were several happy reunions of officers who had not met since the close of the great civil conflict, and, in celebration of the occasion, Gen. Otis brought out "the old canteen" and drank to the health of his guests.

Mrs. Wankowski, the noted singer and wife of Gen. Robert Wankowski, sang several beautiful selections and, upon the motion of Gen. John L. Beveridge, was complimented by a standing vote of the entire association.

Gen. Beveridge then offered a motion thanking Gen. Otis for his hospitality. The resolution was unanimously passed amid hearty applause. Gen. Otis expressed his thanks for the tribute paid him and said that it was he who should feel indebted to the Loyal Legion for accepting the hospitality of his rooftree.

Archibald Sessions, organist of Christ Episcopal Church, acted as accompanist for Mrs. Wankowski and also rendered several solo numbers.

Capt. J. A. Osgood was unanimously chosen to lead the singing, and the entire company, under his direction, joined in the strains of "Marching Through Georgia," "Loyal Legioner," "America," "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," and other patriotic airs.

The coming banquet of the Loyal Legion, which will be held at the Alexandria later this month, was generally discussed. The decision to make the Alexandria the permanent headquarters of the Southern California Society, Companions of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion, met with general approval.

One of the features of the function was the number of companions from different parts of the county who were present.

Among the distinguished guests was Col. Henry C. Caldwell, former United States Circuit Judge, and for many years one of the most prominent jurists of the Middle West. He was well known, by name at least, to all attorneys present.

Gen. John L. Beveridge, former Governor of Illinois, also took a prominent part in the festivities.

Among the regular army men present were Lieut.-Gen. Adna R. Chaffee, U.S.A. (retired;) Brig.-Gen. Charles D. Viele, U.S.A. (retired;) Brig.-Gen. T. E. True, U.S.A. (retired,) and Col. W. L. Alexander, U.S.A. (retired.)

Those present were:

Col. Gilbert D. Munson, president of the Southern California Society, of Companions of the Military Order of the Loyal Legion; Lieut.-Gen. Adna R. Chaffee, U.S.A.; Col. Henry C. Caldwell, Gen. John L. Beveridge, Brig.-Gen. Charles R. Viele, U.S.A.; Brig.-Gen. T. E. True, U.S.A.; Capt. J. B. Tuttle, Dr. J. H. Martindale, F. M. Dimmick, Acting Ensign Charles W. Spooner, U.S.N.; O. R. W. Robinson, Maj. Charles Powell, Dr. J. F. Kennedy, Dr. D. B. Van Slyck, Gen. J. E. Duryee, Lieut. T. W. Gillette, Col. Charles S. McEntee, Capt. James M. Wells, Capt. O. T. Chamberlain, E. L. Swaine, Chaplain Orville J. Nave, U. S.A.; Col. J. M. C. Marble, W. L. Jenks, Capt. A. H. Bibber, Capt. W. C. Coulson, Capt. John R. White, Capt. W. P. Tucker, Dr. T. C. Smith, Capt. M. H. Smith, Col. George H. Kemble, F. H. Lamb, Capt. C. D. Hammer, Lieut.-Col. S. Merrill, Capt. L. A. Ross, Gen. Frank C. Prescott, Capt. W. E. Davis, Maj. O. C. McNary, Col. F. D. Butterfield, W. I. Morrison, Col. D. F. Bremner, Chaplain W. F. Hubbard, U. S.A.; Dr. F. S. Langdon, Maj. J. A. Donnell, Capt. F. Edward Gray, Hugh W. Adams, Jr., Maj. D. R. Burnham, U.S.A.; P. F. De La Vergne, Col. George De La Vergne, Capt. Charles G. Hampton, Dr. H. M. Bishop, Capt. James S. France, Capt. E. H. Parsons, Capt. Charles J. Fox, Capt. C. W. Hiatt, W. R. Wheat, Maj. M. F. Price, Maj. L. F. Burnett, U.S.A.; G. W. Hammersly, Lieut. S. N. Andrus, Newton T. Kirk, F. L. Foote, E. H. Lahee, Dr. H. McG. Wilson, Dr. D. M. Goodwin, R. H. Herron, Capt. J. H. Barbour, Capt. D. R. Chester, Maj. Dwight Satterlee, Capt. A. S. Davidson, Col. W. L. Alexander, U.S.A.; Capt. E. Groenendyke, Capt. C. B. Wilson, Maj. W. I. Sanborn, U.S.A.; Maj. Charles W. Snyder, Col. James E. Montgomery, Maj. John A. Payne, Capt. J. A. Osgood, Charles S. Gilbert, Thomas R. Lee, P. Sumner Brown, Col. Francis T. Colby and Brig.-Gen. Robert Wankowski, N. G.C.

READY FOR "EVENTUALITIES."

So Says Jap War Minister in Answer to Query as to Extensive Military Preparations.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

TOKIO, Feb. 1, 4 p.m.—At a sectional committee meeting of the diet today, M. Oishi asked against whom were Japan's military preparations directed.

Minister of War Terauchi replied, saying that they were not directed against any single nation, but against eventualities on the Pacific, where Japan has a long coast line from Saghalien to Formosa.

WOMEN IN PANIC.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 31.—Five men were injured, three of them seriously, by the explosion today in the shrapnel department of the United States arsenal at Frankfort, in the northeast part of the city. The explosion occurred in a drill press in a room in which twelve men were at work. The explosion shook surrounding buildings at the arsenal, in one of which 600 women were at work. They became panic-stricken and made a rush for the exits. All got out of the building without any of them being hurt in the crush, although a dozen women became hysterical. Fire followed the explosion, but it was extinguished without much damage.

OBITUARY.

Edward Cromwell.

DENVER (Colo.) Jan. 31.—Edward Cromwell died last night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Gertrude G. Sampson, in this city, in his 87th year. Mr. Cromwell's long life was largely devoted to philanthropic and patriotic work. He was born in New York City June 1, 1821, and was a member of one of the old American families and a descendant of Oliver Cromwell. Mr. Cromwell was for a long time a conspicuous figure in the business world, operating the largest flour mill in the United States. He was a charter member of the New York Produce Exchange, and served as its secretary and treasurer for ten years. He was an active member of the famous New York volunteer fire department. In 1860 the Union League Club was organized at his house. As a member of the United States Indian Commission, he was instrumental in saving Indian Territory and Oklahoma to the Union, having personally drawn up the petition which was presented to Congress against the passage of a bill ratifying the contract, deeding away the land.

During the draft riots of 1863 in New York City, Mr. Cromwell organized troops, enrolling many names among the members of the Produce Exchange. The men drilled daily, and fought to protect the colored men on the streets of New York City. Mr. Cromwell helped to organize and send the first colored regiment from New York.

A. W. Shaw.

DETROIT (Mich.) Jan. 31.—A. W. Shaw, secretary of the Hospital Superintendent Association of America, died here today. In 1877 Mr. Shaw became known as the man who found the key and translated the cipher dispatches sent out from Oregon bearing on the political situation in that State during the Hayes-Tilden battle for the Presidency. Both Mr. Shaw and his business partner were called before the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections to testify in regard to the cipher dispatches.

William S. Wood.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Attorney William S. Wood of the firm of Lloyd & Wood, one of the best-known lawyers on the Pacific Coast, died yesterday at his home in this city. Before coming to California, Mr. Wood was prominent in Nevada, where he was the law partner of Francis J. Newlands. His first famous case was the Hale and Norcross suit. Later he was the attorney for the Fair heirs. He was prominent in Republican politics and had a wide circle of friends throughout the State. His death was due to pneumonia, caused by exposure, two weeks ago. He was 66 years of age. A daughter, Mrs. Cullen S. Welty, and a son, survive him.

Burr Robbins.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Burr Robbins, an old-time circus man, died here yesterday, aged 71.

Mrs. William Cutler.

BERKELEY, Jan. 31.—Mrs. Cutler, wife of William Cutler, former State Senator, who was recently appointed coiner in the San Francisco Mint, died this afternoon as a result of a cold contracted while on a trip from Marysville, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wallace Dinsmore.

FLASHES FROM WIRES.

Personal liability of bank directors to the extent of their personal fortunes, for all losses to depositors, was proposed last night by Prof. Earl Dean Howard of Northwestern University, Chicago. He made the statement in addressing a class in finance, under the auspices of the American Institute of Banking.

The correspondent of the London Daily Mail, at Durban, announces in a dispatch that the Standard Oil Company has acquired the South African trading interests of the Shell Transportation and Trading Company, limited, thus establishing a monopoly in South Africa.

Denis O'Sullivan, the Irish actor, who was operated on for appendicitis at Columbus, O., was resting easy yesterday at the Grant Hospital. He is admitted to be in a critical condition because gangrene had set in before the operation.

Fire broke out yesterday in the first-class smoking-room of the White Star Line steamer Majestic, which arrived at Southampton from New York, and at one time it was thought the vessel was doomed to destruction. Only through the united efforts of the fire department on the dock and the city brigade was the vessel saved.

The Waring Hat Manufacturing Company of Yonkers, one of the largest makers of hats in the United States, closed its four factories yesterday, throwing nearly 2000 men out of work. There has been a steady falling off in business.

The office of the superintendent of the Poor at West Seneca, N. Y., was besieged yesterday by 500 men begging for food. The partial suspension of the steel and iron industry there has caused much suffering among the foreign laborers.

Kings Court, one of the show places of Lakewood, N. J., the residence built some years ago by George J. Gould for his son, Kingdon, was destroyed by fire last night. The building was valued at $500,000. Since its erection it had been occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lloyd Herbert. Neither Mr. Gould nor Mr. Herbert carried any insurance.

Word was received in New York yesterday by a detective agency that the Mexican government had finally consented to turn over to the American authorities for extradition William F. Walker, the absconding treasurer of the Savings Bank of New Britain, Ct., who was arrested recently in Lower California after a chase of nine months.

Non-secret clubs as a substitute for the fraternities are the latest in the line of school projects in Chicago. Plans for them are being drawn by President Schneider of the Board of Education and Trustee R. A. White.

Anna E. Hahn, one of the first American school teachers to go to the Philippines, was murdered at Bangas Island of Luzon January 29. No details were given. Miss Hahn was 45 years of age and was the author of a number of short stories.

Six New York letter carriers have had their salaries reduced $100 a year for soliciting Christmas and New Year presents. These men, all of whom are on duty in the residence district, left cards of greeting for the people they daily deliver mail to. Complaints were made to the postmaster, who, after investigating the matter, reduced the grade of the men in question.

The flag of the American man-of-war Chesapeake, captured in the fight with the British ship Shannon in 1813, was put up at auction in London and sold for $4250 to a dealer named Partridge. It is reported that Partridge acted for Cornelius Vanderbilt.

A bill, the effect of which will be to tax dowries given by New York State women under their marriage to foreigners, was introduced in the Assembly yesterday by Mr. Keller of New York. It provides for a tax of 20 per cent. on such property above the value of $100,000.

THE CITY IN BRIEF

"Happy New Year!"

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Chautauqua County Picnic.

Former residents of Chautauqua county, New York, will hold their fourth annual picnic in Eastlake Park next Saturday.

Wants to Help Men.

Another $1 contribution was received at The Times office yesterday, from J. C. Q., "for charity for men," and was delivered to Maj. Waite of the Salvation Army.

Cripple Beats Family.

At the solicitation of his wife and daughter, Jack Ward, a cripple, was sentenced to ten days in the City Jail, yesterday morning by Police Justice Austin. They accused him of beating them.

Twenty Fits.

Within two hours, last night, George Aston, a collector who had been found unconscious on the street, had twenty epileptic fits. It took two men to hold him on a cot at the Receiving Hospital.

Hen Fruit Case.

W. L. Gray of No. 902 Towne avenue was arrested, last night, on the charge of having received eggs stolen by John L. Mitchell from the Wells-Fargo Company. It is possible that other arrests may follow.

Explosion; Burned.

C. C. McOmber, who lives at Rosehill Court, was burned yesterday at the plant of the Western Pipe and Steel Company, No. 1101 North Main street. He poured oil on a fire and an explosion followed.

Not Guilty of Fast Driving.

A jury in Justice Fredericksen's court, yesterday, acquitted James Morley, who was charged with violating the speed ordinance. The defendant alleged that the officers who arrested him had a grudge against him.

Mrs. Theo A. Simpson Dead.

Mrs. Juanita Simpson, wife of Theo. A. Simpson, trust officer of the Title Insurance and Trust Company, died Friday morning at the family residence, No. 1058 South Olive. She is survived by her husband and six-day-old baby.

Contest Concluded.

The land contest of Sigel E. Skinner against Edwin C. Blaisdell over title to 336 acres in the Imperial Valley has been concluded in the United States Land Office. The contest of Isaac R. Horrie against William W. Hatton, over land in the Malibu district, has been dismissed.

Ring Theft Alleged.

Manzia Hadju, who sells patent medicine, was arrested last night at Fifth and Wall streets, on the charge of stealing a diamond ring from Mrs. Minnie Young of San Francisco. The police of that city learned that Hadju was in Los Angeles and requested the local department to arrest him.

Burglary Interrupted.

Two burglars were discovered early Thursday morning by Edward Beal in the Elite Pressing Works at No. 516 West Sixth street. He immediately notified the patrolman on the beat, but before the place could be surrounded the intruders had escaped. A desk had been pried open but nothing was missed.

Fulton County's Outing.

Two hundred and fifty residents of Los Angeles and neighboring cities and suburbs, formerly of Fulton county, Ill., will hold their fourth annual picnic and reunion at Eastlake Park, Februar 12, under the auspices of the Fulton County Association of Los Angeles. The Illinoisans will meet from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. John W. Proctor, president of the association and chairman of the Executive Committee, has completed plans for the day.

Installs New Officers.

The newly-elected officers of Los Angeles Hive No. 1, L.O.T.M., were formally installed last evening, Mrs. Minnie Clayton acting as supreme installing officer. The ceremonies were held in the auditorium of the Friday Morning Clubhouse. Mrs. Clayton was assisted by Mrs. Jennie Cook, supreme chaplain; Mrs. Mary Coffman, supreme sentinel, and Mrs. Fannie Elmendorf, supreme picket. The new officers installed are: Mrs. Essie Ashby, Past Commander; Mrs. Minnie Neighbours, Commander; Mrs. Hattie Suttle, Lieutenant-Commander; Mrs. Mary L. Dennis, Record Keeper; Mrs. Jennie F. Weaver, Finance Auditor; Mrs. Dorinda Allen, Chaplain; Mrs. Nellie Fisher, Sergeant; Mrs. Julia Hallock, Sentinel, and Mrs. Jennie Hamilton, Picket.

BREVITIES.

Sunday Real Estate Liners. Classified real estate advertisements for insertion in THE SUNDAY TIMES must be in the office not later than 10:30 o'clock Saturday night. Other "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion taken over the counter until 11:30 p.m. The great volume of liners printed in The Sunday Times, numbering regularly over 5000 separate announcements, makes this regulation absolutely necessary in order to get the big Sunday issue out on time.

Mr. Frederick Stevenson's musical criticisms now appear exclusively in the "Graphic." Today's issue contains trenchant characteristic notices of Hofman and Kubelik. Next week "Madam Butterfly" will be fully exploited. At all news stands. Subscription office, 332 Wilcox building.

Shoe bills cut in half, all ladies' shoes $2, all men's, $2.50, never more. I sell all the latest styles at these prices; just arrived, a lot of swell Oxfords. We can fit all feet, 3 shops, 414½ and 207 S. Broadway, city, and the Boston building, Pasadena, Cal. Open Saturday evenings.

The Men's Club of Christ Church will have a banquet and hold their annual meeting at the "Burlington," Ninth and Burlington avenue, on Thursday, February 6, at 6:30 p.m. Application for tickets is necessary at once as the list must be closed on Monday.

Dr. H. H. Koons removed to 702 Union Trust Bldg. Hours 10 to 12. Home F5577. Sunset, Main 294.

J. W. Frey has moved his stock of mantels, grates, tiles and andirons to his warerooms, corner Los Angeles and Twelfth streets, where can be seen the largest assortment of black and brass fireplace trimmings to be found in the United States.

The Newmarket is the right place to buy good, young, tender, fresh meat, for cash. Turn over a new leaf, quit buying on credit; quit paying high prices and bring your cash to the Newmarket, 522-24 South Broadway.

Bring your cash to the Newmarket and save money on your meat bill. Now is the time to stop and think; now is the time to economize. Newmarket, 522-24 South Broadway.

A. J. Hamilton & Son, 311 S. Broadway, are making big reductions on all their shoes, and if you need shoes that is the place to buy them.

Meats are still higher, but the Newmarket sells cheap, because they sell only for cash. Newmarket, 522-24 South Broadway.

President Briggs of Radcliffe will be the guest of the Friday Morning Club and will make a brief address.

It's foolish to buy poor shoes when you can buy Cummings footwear at same price. 4th and Broadway.

Dr. Robert Haynes removed to 702 Union Trust Bldg. Hours 9 to 12:30. Home F5577. Sunset Main 294.

Henry J. Kramer will form a juvenile beginners' dancing class Saturday, February 8, at 1:30.

La Marque corsets, 414½ S. B'dway. Furs. D. Bonoff, furrier. 334 S. B'way.

AT REST.

DEATH CLAIMS JOHN WIGMORE.

LONG PROMINENT IN BUSINESS LIFE OF LOS ANGELES.

Financial Reverses Cause Breakdown from Which He Never Rallied and the End Comes at a Local Sanatorium—Widow, Six Sons and Two Daughters Survive Him.

John Wigmore, formerly head of the hardware firm of John Wigmore & Sons Company, died yesterday morning at the Rosena Rest Retreat, No. 2814 Downey avenue. He was aged 79 years, and for some time had been afflicted with a nervous disorder.

Following difficulties that affected his large hardware house about three years ago, the elder Wigmore suffered a mental collapse. The once active mind gave way under the strain. The blow was too great for him and he never rallied.

Several months ago it was necessary for Mr. Wigmore to be cared for at the Good Samaritan Hospital. He did not improved and was removed by his family to the sanatorium, where he died, a home conducted in what was formerly the William Lacey homestead on Downey avenue.

At the sanatorium last night it was stated that Mr. Wigmore had been a patient there for some time. Just how long, the matron would not say. She stated that the mind of Mr. Wigmore was a blank when he arrived at the home. Members of his family visited him often at the retreat, and he was given every attention.

The passing of Mr. Wigmore came suddenly yesterday morning. He was thought to be in no immediate danger. His health had appeared to improve at the home. He was attended by Dr. Charles B. Dickson.

Twenty years ago John Wigmore came to Los Angeles from San Francisco, where he had made a success as a hardware merchant. He opened an establishment on Los Angeles street and dealt exclusively in heavy hardware. He built up one of the strongest concerns in this city.

For years he continued to make money and was known as one of the level-headed merchants of Los Angeles. He continued to prosper until three years ago.

No arrangements have been made for the funeral services, which probably will be held at St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral.

The remaining members of the family are the widow, six sons—Alfonso A., John H., George H., Francis Marion, Hubert Llewellyn and Cyril Wigmore—and two daughters, Miss Beatrice Wigmore and Mrs. J. N. Densham.

STILL WANT THAT POST.

Chamber of Commerce Working Hard to Secure Regular Army Garrison for Southern California.

William D. Stephens, president of the Chamber of Commerce, received a telegram yesterday from William C. Mendenhall, who is in Washington, stating that he was informed that the mobilization of regulars on the Pacific Coast was not contemplated.

This information will not alter plans to be pursued toward securing a brigade post for this city. The board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce will shortly hold a meeting to consider various plans. A report on the subject will also be made by the Military Committee.

Secretary Wiggins suggests that this section would make an ideal place for an army post. "A stay in this city would tend to acclimate the soldiers on their way to the Philippines," stated Wiggins. "Even if not needed for protection, there should be a garrison somewhere in Southern California. This matter has been discussed for years. The only way to get a thing is to work for it. That is why the Chamber of Commerce sent its telegram to Washington."

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

(The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. Be brief, write plainly, state clearly. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the point. Well-written letters are liable to be declined merely on account of their length.)

Our Reserves.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 1.—[To the Editor of The Times:] You're right, shipmate. We can dance a hornpipe, to any class of music, with the little brown man, and as C. P. Clark says, the Bureau of Navigation or the War Department know where to find the dancers.

Ten years ago we made good! True the music proposed might be rag time, but so long as our bountiful Uncle Samuel produces the ammunition for our stomachs and guns, the faster the better. We of '98-99-00 and '01, and those trained since can "turn to" with a vim, even if a little rusty from the pursuits of civil life. Plenty of material to meet the other party minus flies or strings. All the bureau has to do is sing out and "We and Bill" will pull our forelock, shouting willingly, aye, aye, sir.

NEIL ROY,
Late U. S. Navy.

SIX KILLED IN CYCLONE.

WESSON (Miss.) Jan. 31.—Six white persons were killed outright by a cyclone which laid waste a strip of farming country three-quarters of a mile wide and several miles long, just north of here today. Three persons were probably fatally injured, and many others were slightly hurt when their homes were blown down.

What Causes Headache.

From October to May, colds are the most frequent cause of headache. Laxative Bromo Quinine removes cause. E. W. Grove on box. 25c.

END OF CROOK.

CLEVER FORGER IS ARRESTED.

Whirlwind Career from East to Los Angeles.

Runs Away With the Wife of Chicago Auto Man.

Worthless Checks Supported Couple on Trip.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After a whirlwind career, which led from Chicago through the West to the Coast, and then circled into this city again, George Masters was arrested this evening, charged with forgery. All over the western country his path has been marked by worthless checks. In the fashionable North Shore district of Chicago he found his victims with the least exertion.

Masters, who is also known as George Maher, R. J. Richards, F. C. Norton, J. E. Hoyt and B. S. Beamett, was not only a man handy with the pen; he was known also as the man with the winsome smile and the magnetic eye. Women fell easy prey to his glances. Among these was Mrs. Robert L. Barrett, with whom he was residing in Hyde Park when arrested. When Mrs. Barrett met Masters, her husband was the proprietor of a garage and automobile house in the North Shore. They rode together and dined together without any suspicion on her husband's part. Then they fled at midnight, and Barrett heard of them in Los Angeles. After their tracks began to show in Los Angeles, they went to Kansas City, where Barrett is now. They had to move again, and spent some time in Cincinnati, finally returning to Chicago.

The couple had only been in Chicago a few days before it was necessary for them to raise more money, and the old way was the easiest. They were at the Shenandoah Hotel in Sheridan Park and passed several checks in this neighborhood. The police believe that they would have been far from this vicinity in another day if they had not been apprehended.

Mrs. Barrett is a young woman who is well connected in Peoria, Ill., where her brother is one of the officials of the city government. Mr. Barrett had many friends in Chicago, and these are attempting to reach him and to persuade him to return to prosecute Masters. At one time he declared he would never see his wife again. They traveled in California and in Kansas City, and they had friends and relatives whom they visited. His address is not known except to his friends.

Masters was located here through an agency representing one of the banks that received some of Masters's checks. It is believed that many of the forgeries reported elsewhere will now be traced to him. He would not talk after his arrest. Mrs. Barrett was not held by the police.

VITAL RECORD {BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES, DIVORCE.}

Births.

GRANT. In Glendale, January 30, to the wife of A. K. Grant, a daughter.
LAUBERSHEIMER. January 31, 1908, to Dr. and Mrs. G. A. Laubersheimer, a son.
REILLEY. To the wife of F. H. Reilley (of Buffalo, N. Y.) No. 2101 Hermosa street, January 30, a daughter.

Deaths.

SIMPSON. January 31, at 10 a.m., at her home, No. 1053 South Olive street, Mrs. Juanita Stout Simpson, beloved wife of Theodore Allen Simpson, and mother of Marion Stout Simpson. Funeral notice later.
WIGMORE. John Wigmore, aged 77 years 10 months, beloved husband of Harriette J. Wigmore, father of Alphonso A., John H., George H., Francis Marion, Hubert Llewellyn, Cyril and Beatrice Wigmore and Mrs. J. N. Densham. Funeral notice later. (San Francisco papers please copy.)
LOUGHBOROUGH. At the residence, No. 1464 Allison avenue, January 30, 1908, Mrs. Jane A., widow of the late William S. Loughborough, aged 77 years. Funeral at 2 p.m. Sunday.
DODGE. At Glendale, Cal., January 30, 1908, Mrs. Mary C. Dodge, lately of No. 322 Bruit street, Los Angeles, aged 73 years, beloved mother of L. G., Perry, Mary and Caddie Dodge and Mrs. Alice Rogers. Funeral services from Union Avenue M. E. Church, Saturday at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.
COOK. At 2270 West Pico street, January 31, 1908, Kittie Cook, aged 40 years. Remains at Breese Brothers' chapel, 325 Figueroa street. Interment, Homer, Mich.
OTIS. At Pomona Ranch, Claremont, Cal., January 29, 1908, Thomas G. Otis, aged 76 years, beloved father of George A., W. I., Thomas G. Otis, Jr., and Mrs. Margaret Williams. Funeral from residence, Saturday, at 2:30 p.m. (Chicago papers please copy.)
LELAND. At Duarte, Cal., January 31, 1908, Mrs. Elizabeth Leland, wife of A. N. Leland, aged 52 years. Funeral from Ives, Warren & Salisbury's chapel, Pasadena, Sunday, February 2, at 2:30 p.m. Burial at San Gabriel Cemetery at 4 p.m.

Marriages.

CONNETT-JOHNSON. Harvey M. Connett, aged 21, a native of Ohio, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Clara Johnson, aged 20, a native of Ohio, and a resident of Long Beach.
NEGRETE-ARMENTON. Margarito Negrete, aged 30, a native of Mexico, and Fermina Armenton, aged 28, a native of Mexico; both residents of Colton.
DICKSON-STOUTT. Donald I. Dickson, aged 21, a native of Ohio, and Adelaide Stoutt, aged 20, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.
RAMSAY-STEWART. James Ramsay, aged 28, a native of Scotland, and a resident of Pasadena, and Jessie Stewart, aged 27, a native of Scotland, and a resident of Los Angeles.
ABIP-JAMUSA. Abdalah Abip, aged 23, a native of Turkey, and Nahil Jamusa, aged 25, a native of Turkey; both residents of Los Angeles.
THIELEN-O'NEAL. Ralph Alexis Thielen, aged 31, a native of California, and Nona O'Neal, aged 24, a native of Missouri; both residents of Los Angeles.

Divorce.

SUITS. Alice M. Blodgett against R. P. Blodgett; May E. Knapp against Elmer F. Knapp.
DECREES. Ruby Brightman against Claude Brightman; Matilda McClothlen against Thomas McClothlen.

Notice to School Children.

First-grade pupils of the Los Angeles schools who call at the Salt Lake Route office at No. 601 South Spring street on Saturday will be given an attractive souvenir to take home.

SOUTH GATE LODGE, NO. 325, F. & A. M., will confer the third degree this (Saturday) afternoon, at 4 o'clock.
F. H. WHITE, Secretary.

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Just about 100 wool and mercerized madras waists in black and colors; mostly large sizes, that sold up to $2.95. Choice 69c
UP TO $27.50 WOMEN'S SUITS $9.95
Only 35 left in light and dark shades; in short and long jacket styles broken sizes. Choice.. $9.95
UP TO $12.50 WOMEN'S COATS $4.95
Just 75 of them; long and short styles; all new mixtures in stripes and plaids that sold at $10 and $12.50. Choice $4.95
UP TO $6.50 WALKING SKIRTS $1.75
Fifty all wool panama mixture skirts sold at $5 and $6.50; all late fall styles; broken sizes. Choice for.. $1.75
Four Great Glove Values, $1.09—$1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 Kid Gloves
Regular $1.25 genuine French suede, 2-clasp gloves in black, gray, mode and tan; all sizes. Special $1.09
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Regular $1.75 Vallier's kid washable and perspiration proof glove. Special $1.09
New Spring Hats
$5.00
Just in by express. Bright, crisp and new, just typical of the coming spring season; styles up to the minute. Milans, leghorns and fancy Tuscan braids; also tailored and small dress hats; black and all the new shades. Special Saturday, $5.00.
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Children's 15c Stockings 7 1-2c
Broken sizes of fine and heavy rib maco stocking; double heels, toes and soles; fast black and very durable; sizes 4 to 7½. Half price today, 7½c.
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10c Fast black sox; seamless 7½c
10c Pure linen initial handkerchiefs 12½c
15c Seamless hosiery; all wyts 12½c
25c Boston garters; Sea Island cotton 15c
25c Pure linen handkerchiefs; full pocket size 19 2-3c
All 25c Neckwear, hundreds to choose from 19c
50c Full elastic suspenders, calf ends 29c
50c Silk neckwear, gorgeous, rich patterns 33 1-3c
50c and 75c imported fancy hosiery 39c
75c Outing Flannel gown, roomy and long 49c
$1.00 Golf and stiff bosom shirts 69c
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$2.00 Golf and stiff bosom shirts $1.29
¼ off on all medium and heavy underwear.
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Bath robes, house coats and fancy vests for almost half price.

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On account of the rain the past few days there are many women who failed to take advantage of our linen sale, so, today we will duplicate the offer. Here's only a hint:

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More Pianos Coming

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SPROUTS.

NOVEL GROWTH FOR DESERTS.

Angeleno to Try Alfa Grass for Paper Making.

Has Two Sacks of Seed from Far-Away Africa.

Success May Mean Creation of Big Industry.

Carefully protected in the safe of one of the business houses of South Los Angeles street repose two small sacks of grass seed, upon which are based hopes of great things. The sacks contain alfa seed from the great Sahara Desert. They may be the forerunner of an important paper-making industry in Southern California.

The alfa seeds were sent by Prof. David Fairchild of the Bureau of Plant Industry, United States Department of Agriculture, to J. C. Conrad of No. 225 South Los Angeles street, who had become interested in the possibilities of raising this grass on the desert lands of Southern California and Arizona for paper making. It was necessary to send to Africa for the seeds, and the small consignment received here yesterday will be carefully planted for experimental work.

One portion of the seed will go to Daggett, in the heart of the desert, on the Santa Fé Railway. There it will be planted on the ranch of T. S. Van Dyke, one of the pioneer desert ranchers, who has attained much success in propagating various growths suited to arid districts.

Another portion will be planted at Mecca, on lands owned by Frank R. Strong, and the third allotment goes to Thermal, in the heart of Coachella Valley, where Mr. Conrad believes conditions of the higher levels are very similar to those to be found in the native soil of the alfa grass.

On account of the constantly diminishing supply of material for paper making, Mr. Conrad became interested in the possibilities of growing alfa grass on California's arid lands. His attention was attracted by a brief statement made in one of Frank G. Carpenter's letters to The Times.

Mr. Carpenter, writing from Beni Oumif, in the Sahara Desert, 400 miles south of the Port of Oran, says of the alfa:

"I have been passing through a great plain of yellow, sandy soil, covered here and there with stones and spotted everywhere with bunches of the dry alfa grass.

"The alfa was growing right in the sands. It is a long, wiry grass, which is gathered by the thousands of tons and shipped to Europe for the making of paper. It is cut by the Arabs, and there are companies with immense capital which handle it. It grows to the height of my waist, in bunches, some of which are not bigger than one's fist, while others sprout out of mounds which would fill a half-bushel measure. It looks tough and dry, but nevertheless large flocks of sheep, goats and camels feed upon it."

It is possible, if the experiments in the growth of the alfa grass in the Coachella and Imperial valleys and on the Mojave Desert, in San Bernardino county, proves a success, that paper mills will be erected in Southern California to handle the product, as it is claimed that the material makes a paper of superior quality which will command top prices. The material is especially suitable for high-grade book papers.

The leaves of the alfa grass are from eighteen inches to two feet in length. They have the peculiarity of breaking off at the base, so that they are gathered by the exertion of a steady pull, after which they are sorted according to their color and length, and tied in bundles for exportation. About $1,000,000 worth of the grass is exported annually from Algeria, and the constantly-increasing shortage of raw material for the manufacture of paper makes a permanent field for the crop.

Mr. Conrad is certain that on the higher lands of the Coachella and Imperial valleys, at present non-irrigable, the alfa grass will prove a profitable crop. He believes that the cost of gathering the grass—which is plucked by hand in the African desert—will be greatly lessened, if it proves a good desert crop here, by the invention of labor-saving machinery.

THE SORE ELBOW OF SISTER S. WILLIAMS.

DAUGHTERS OF POCAHONTAS were not so peaceful in Justice Selph's court yesterday as was their ancestress when she saved the estimable J. Smith from the wrath of the peevish chieftain.

The ladies' secret society named after the far-famed Indian maiden was, in fact, embroiled in a hot lawsuit. The subject of the controversy was Sister Williams's sore elbow.

The Order of Pocahontas is a feminine adjunct of the Order of Redmen. One night each week, a number of reputable white ladies get together and pretend to be Injuns, and talk about the late lamented squaw, who was so nice to the Smith family.

The rule of their society is that they shall not speak of the affairs of everyday life in an every-day dialect, but shall be poetic—be it ever so painful.

Wherefore they are obliged to speak of a month as a "moon" and a minute as a "breath."

Their calendar speaks of January as the "Cold Moon," and the bylaws say March is the "Worm Moon," although why March should be considered particularly wormy is not known, unless the green cheese has begun to get stale by that time. July is the Buck Moon, and August the Sturgeon Moon.

When they get down to money, they speak of it as "wampum," according to the bylaws. The bylaws say that when one member does a wrong to another, it shall be spoken of delicately as "crossing the path."

One of the severe rules of the bylaws reads as follows:

"To use the words 'squaw' or 'pappoose' in reference to the wives and children of members of the degree, as also the terms 'scalped' and 'tomahawked' is strictly prohibited and condemned."

One of the provisions of the society is that no Indian can belong to it. The bylaws expressly provide that only white women shall be eligible to membership.

As may be imagined, Justice Selph was bewildered when documents and evidence in this strange tongue were passed up to him yesterday.

It seems that Mrs. Stella Williams, who is a well-known organizer and member of various women's lodges of this city, was embroiled in a raging row with the Pocahontas. She used to be Chief Pocahontas herself, and now another lady holds the position.

In the intervals of dwelling on the past glories of she who saved Smithy, burning jealousies grew up in the order.

Well, its pretty hard to find out what a women's secret society is quarreling about, but this rumpus was fierce.

The crash came when Mrs. Williams, the Past Pocahontas, hurt her elbow and demanded that she be paid a sick benefit. They wouldn't give her a sick benefit; they held a council and decided to harpoon her claim.

Whereupon Mrs. Williams came around with a lawyer, and called out some of the leading sachems and chieftesses and medicine women and, lining them up in the hall, proceded to verbally burn the whole tribe at the stake. And alas, no member of the Smith family was there to rescue the illustrious Pocahontas as a return favor!

After this, the bravesses decided that their former chieftainess should get no pay, even though she had two sore elbows.

Then Mrs. Williams appealed to the courts of law. The defense introduced by the society yesterday was staggering. They said that Mrs. Williams had violated her rights because she had got a lawyer, instead of leaving it to the tribal council that had already turned her down.

In support of their various claims, many imposing documents were filed on both sides.

"What on earth does all this mean?" gasped Justice Selph when Mrs. Williams passed up the following extract from the bylaws to show that she was entitled to the sick benefit:

"Any member who is unable to follow the hunt by reason of sickness or accident shall be entitled to benefits from the wampum of this council if in good standing; for each seven suns, three fathoms and fifty inches, said sum to be paid for a period of three moons."

"Say, what's all this about?" stammered the court of the attractive secretary on the witness stand.

"It means that she's entitled to pay when she's sick," she said demurely.

"What's this three fathoms and inches? You must measure your scrip by the yard," complained the court.

"A fathom," said the lady severely, "is a dollar and a foot of wampum is ten cents ——."

"Rates are reasonable," murmured the court.

"And," added the lady, "an inch is a cent."

The date also puzzled the court, however. He asked when this document was subscribed to and she told him on the second sun of the Hunting Moon, and another document was born on the "Sleep of the Third Sun of the Hunting Moon at the Eighth Run."

"Give it in a Caucasian calendar," pleaded the court.

The council contended that Mrs. Williams had been summoned for trial before the tribe and had failed to appear, wherefore there could be no wampum balm for her sick elbow.

They introduced into evidence the following peremptory if poetic document, that had been sent to her:

"The twenty-fourth sun, Cold Moon G.S.D. D. of P. to Sister Williams:

"You are hereby notified to appear before Manitou Council, No. 42 D. of P. on the Sleep of the thirty-first Sun, Cold Moon, to answer charges preferred against you."

Justice Selph, in bewilderment, took the case under advisement.

Heap Trouble Among the Daughters of Pocahontas.
Portrait of Mrs. Stella Williams, the former "Pocahontas."

WARM FREEZER.

HOT SPOT IS COLD STORAGE.

REFRIGERATING PLANT MELTED BY FIERCE FIRE.

Leaky Feed Pipe in Gasoline Engine Is Responsible for Fifteen-Thousand-Dollar Blaze in Building Occupied by Creamery and Butter Company and Engraving Plant.

A leaky feed pipe in a gasoline engine was responsible for a $15,000 fire in the two-story brick building at No. 241 Winston street last evening. The second floor was gutted and only the excellent work of the fire department saved the entire structure from destruction.

The building, which is owned by Jotham Bixby, is occupied by three firms, the Crescent Creamery and Butter Company renting the greater part of the ground floor, and also a part of the second story, while the rest of the building is let to the California Creamery and Butter Company and the Riley-Moore Engraving Company.

The blaze started in the workroom of the Riley-Moore Company and was first discovered by a Japanese laborer engaged in cleaning up. He reported it to T. Pickleshimer, foreman of the Crescent Company, who summoned two other men to his aid and tried to put out the blaze with water from buckets. Seeing that the effort was useless he rushed to the corner of Fourth and Los Angeles streets and turned in an alarm.

For some time the employés of the Riley-Moore Engraving Company had been having trouble with a gasoline engine and the leaking feed pipe had particularly bothered them. It is supposed that the oil became ignited, which resulted in a slight explosion which started the blaze.

Employés of the creamery company say they heard the gasoline engine running as late as 6:15 o'clock, though the manager of the Riley-Moore company insists that the men under his charge stopped work at 5:30. It is thought possible that the engine was left running and that the fire was the result.

S. A. W. Carver, president of the Crescent Creamery and Butter Company, places the loss of his firm at $5000. This sum is represented largely by the refrigerating plant located on the second floor, by the factory where packing cases were built, also on the second floor, and by the wareroom where empty tubs and freezers were stored. The butter department and the ice cream department, both on the ground floor, escaped with nominal injury, though both were flooded with water. The company's loss is fully covered by insurance.

The plant of the Riley-Moore Engraving Company will probably be a total loss. E. B. Moore valued it at $6000, largely represented by machinery; insurance $3000.

The Loss sustained by the California Creamery and Butter Company will not exceed $1000; no insurance.

The roof of the building was destroyed and all of the second floor partitions were burned. The roof was of tar and gravel, and, as the supports were burned away, it fell in in several places. Several firemen had narrow escapes from falling timbers.

The building is entirely of brick. The walls were not injured to any extent and Mr. Bixby's loss will hardly exceed $3000.

WAS IT FRAUDULENT?

Man Who Used the Mails to Further a Clever Scheme to Be Given a Hearing Today.

Carbonate Ore Johnson, of San Diego and Riverside, will be given his preliminary examination before United States Commissioner Van Dyke, this morning, on the charge of using the mails for fraudulent purposes. According to the charges filed by the postal inspectors, Johnson has been systematically defrauding credulous persons by means of an ingenious trick. He has advertised extensively that he would send samples of his work at cost price to persons who would agree to tell their friends about it. If he received a reply, Johnson would forward a piece of stone that was represented to be hyacinth in the rough. A personal letter would follow in which it was stated that the sample of hyacinth would be cut and polished for $1.50. "I own extensive gem mines in San Diego county," one of the circular letters states, "and I can afford to give you a stone worth at least $15, for advertising purposes."

The Federal authorities assert that Johnson's victims are many. A number of witnesses have been summoned to tell their experience with the mail-order promoter. The government officials contend that the stones represented to be hyacinths are common quartz worth a few cents a pound. Johnson is out on $1000 bail, and he is expected to put up a stiff contest when the case finally comes to trial.

RESTING.

STUBBS HERE FOR HEALTH.

Harriman's Traffic Manager Talks of Rebates.

Sympathies With Ripley in the Santa Fe Case.

Says Country's Too Big for Stagnation to Last.

J. C. Stubbs, traffic director of the Harriman lines, accompanied by Charles S. Fee, passenger traffic manager of the Southern Pacific, with headquarters in San Francisco, arrived in Los Angeles yesterday morning from the East. Mr. Stubbs was accompanied by his wife. He stated at the Alexandria last night that his present visit here was one solely in search of health. The offices of the Southern Pacific Company, however, saw Mr. Stubbs the greater portion of the day.

"I do not care to discuss the charges made by President Roosevelt concerning the Santa Fé rebate matter," said Mr. Stubbs, "except to say that some people think that a transaction which was not interstate in its scope, should not be seized upon as an illustration when discussing interstate commerce. What may be legal in intrastate business may be criminal in interstate business. My sympathies are of course with President Ripley of the Santa Fé in this matter.

HAS GIVEN REBATES.

"I have given rebates, but it would do no good to publish it for the people would not believe it. They would think that the reporter was drawing upon his imagination, for the public looks upon rebates as something heinous and I agree with them. They would never believe that an official of the Union Pacific stated that he had given rebates." Mr. Stubbs smiled broadly.

"Of course this was long before there was any 'active' law against giving rebates," he continued, "it does no good to discuss this matter for it is exactly the same as rubbing a sore spot. It will never get well if you rub it and the public mind has been so inflamed by what has occurred that it is worse than useless to speak of it. Even soothing words seem to irritate the public mind."

Mr. Stubbs stated that he had suffered from an attack of bronchitis and had taken this opportunity to come to the Coast in the hope that his throat trouble would disappear. From the middle of the day until after 6 o'clock he was closeted with T. A. Graham of the local Southern Pacific office, but upon emerging he stated that the discussion had been merely technical and pertained not at all to public matters or anything in which the public was interested.

DENIES MEXICAN STORY.

Mr. Stubbs took the occasion to deny the report that has come from the State of Sonora, Mexico, to the effect that an attack was made upon his private car by a roving band of Yaqui Indians and that he was wounded in the melee.

"My nephew, J. G. Stubbs," said Mr. Stubbs, "was in Mexico, and I understand that with a party of friends he was unjoying himself in a very strenuous manner. From what I have gleaned of the affair, a drunken Yaqui or some idler stalked by the window of the coach in which my nephew was seated, and, after making a few passes with a rifle, discharged it at random. The glass of the window was shattered, and the ball passed through the fleshy part of the arm of my nephew. I have not been in Sonora and at present have no intention of going there."

Referring to the Ripley matter again, Mr. Stubbs said that he thought the fact that the alleged rebate was given in order to counteract the oil company's own water rate to a certain point and not to injure a competitor, would rob it of some of its sting.

FORCED INTO IT.

"I do not know enough of the case to speak authoritatively," he said, "but from a perusal of the letter published in the daily papers, which sets forth the alleged rebate, it would seem that the company was forced into this move, not to discriminate against any concern, but to secure business which neither it nor any other railroad would otherwise get."

In regard to the stoppage of work on the various Southern Pacific projects in Los Angeles and vicinity, Mr. Stubbs said it would require a decided change in financial conditions to cause a revival.

"But, then," said Stubbs, "we are too big—the country, I mean—to stay long inactive. Millions have been invested, and they are still earning as much or nearly as much as usual. It can be but a short time until confidence is renewed, and improvements are again taken up."

Mr. Stubbs refused to discuss the possibility of the government winning its projected suit against the Harriman lines for a dissolution of the ownership of the Southern Pacific, Oregon Short Line and the Oregon Railroad and Navigation Company by the Union Pacific. He characterized this as a possibility, but not a probability.

After a few days in Los Angeles, the Stubbs party will make a tour of the cities of Southern California.

J. C. Stubbs,
traffic director of the Harriman system.

ANOTHER CONVENTION?

Local Odd Fellows Would Like to Have Sovereign Grand Lodge Meet Here Next Year.

It is the desire of a number of local Odd Fellows, of whom John J. Jones is one, to induce the Sovereign Grand Lodge of that organization to hold its 1909 session in Los Angeles. To that end it is likely that when the California Grand Lodge meets at Sacramento next May it may be induced to invite the higher body to come here next year. The Sovereign Grand Lodge will meet at Denver next September, and at that session will decide on the place of the next annual session. This lodge held its session here in 1883, Mr. Jones having been sent as a committee to invite it. He is certain that, with proper effort on the part of the citizens, the big gathering can be secured once more for this city.

The Odd Fellows claim the largest membership of any secret order in the United States. The membership in California is stated to be 42,000, with 24,000 Rebekahs, the women's auxiliary. In Los Angeles there are twelve subordinate lodges of Odd Fellows, twelve Rebekah lodges, four encampments, and one canton of Patriarchs Militant.

BELL CONFUSED HER.

Absent-Minded Woman Steps in Front of Pasadena Car and Sustains Fatal Injuries.

Confused by the sound of a clanging bell Mrs. Emma Upton of No. 5556 Hill Crest Drive stepped directly into the path of an oncoming Pasadena car yesterday afternoon and sustained injuries from which she died a few hours later. The accident happened at the corner of Avenue 56 and Pasadena avenue shortly after 12:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Upton had just left her home with the intention of coming down town to attend the opera with her daughter, Mrs. C. Blackburn of Boyle Heights.

She crossed the track just in front of the Pasadena car and then, as the motorman sounded the bell, she was seen to step back right into its path. Brakes were quickly set, but it was impossible to come to a stop quickly enough to avoid hitting her.

As Mrs. Upton was unconscious and evidently badly hurt, a passing Mt. Lowe car was signaled and she was placed aboard it and hurried into town. At first she was taken to the Receiving Hospital, but was later transferred to the Clara Barton Hospital, where she died at 2 o'clock.

The car which struck Mrs. Upton was No. 222 of the Pasadena line, in charge of Motorman Petefish and Conductor Rogers. According to the story told by eyewitnesses, it could not have been traveling at a high rate of speed, as the motorman brought it to a quick stop after setting the brakes.

Since coming here from Oregon last December Mrs. Upton had been in poor health and for a time was under the care of a trained nurse. It is claimed that at times she has appeared very absent minded and not herself at all.

Her husband, E. P. Upton, is a traveling salesman employed by the H. W. Johns-Neville Company of No. 203 East Fifth street. He is out on the road and is not expected home until this evening. Efforts to get into communication with him last night were unavailing. Mrs. Upton was 50 years old.

SPARKS BERRY RESIGNS.

Sparks M. Berry, manager of the Auditorium, will probably sever his connection with that house June 1. He has been with the Auditorium company four years, two of which have been during its occupancy of the great new building at Fifth and Olive streets. Mr. Berry will be in partnership next year with Impresario Mario Lambardi, and will tour the United States with a grand opera company.

A BAKERSFIELD BANKRUPT.

Burton M. Tibbet of Bakersfield filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court yesterday. His stated liabilities are $1283.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

All the light, power and telephone companies except the Sunset filed with the City Clerk yesterday annual statements of their property accounts and business transacted; these will form the basis for fixing the public utility rates for this year.

Majority and minority reports of the special committee on street-car licenses were prepared yesterday.

Fifteen proffers of sites for a new City Jail were made to the Council yesterday.

In commenting on the contested divorce suit of Mrs. Catherine Loree against James Loree, Judge James said yesterday that he believed perjury had been committed on both sides and he might ask the District Attorney to take criminal action.

Attorney Irwin Helm, L. L. Vogel and Mrs. Isabelle Strong, witnesses to W. D. Carithers's will, gave testimony yesterday in Judge Bordwell's court in the contest over the document.

William B. Chaney, indicted by the grand jury for alleged participation in the Ocean Park election frauds, pleaded not guilty in Judge Conrey's court yesterday, and was admitted to bail, while former Deputy Coroner Clyde M. Sage also was released under bail, his time to plead being set for February 4.

Judge Conrey yesterday denied F. C. Wilkins's application for a temporary order restraining Chief of Police Kern, Prosecuting Attorney Fleming and other authorities from interfering with his brokerage business.

Judge Rives yesterday took testimony on the contested application of Attorney Percy Hammond for the guardianship of Mrs. C. B. Raymond, a Patton inmate.

Judge Rives yesterday overruled Lewis Rees's demurrer to the petition of two daughters of his dead wife that her will be revoked.

Trial of Mrs. M. E. Stewart's $5000 damage suit against the Los Angeles Railway Company began before a jury in Judge Hutton's court yesterday.

AT THE CITY HALL.

TO NAME NEW UTILITY RATES.

COMPANIES FILE STATEMENTS; COUNCIL BUSY.

Reports Show Light and Power Corporations Did Good Business Last Year—Legislators May Consider Municipal Telephone Service. Home Company Makes Protest.

Seven of the eight local public utility companies supplying gas, electric light and power, and telephone service in Los Angeles, filed annual statements with the City Clerk yesterday. These statements show the revenue and the expenditures of these companies during the last year, also a statement of the cost and present value of the real and personal propeerty they possess.

A city ordinance requires that such statements be furnished; they form the basis on which the Council makes its estimates for fixing the maximum price which the companies may charge urban customers for the service they render.

The Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company failed to send in a statement. A representative of the company said that the annual statement is prepared in San Francisco and mailed the last day of the month. It should be received here by this evening.

Some of the statements show larger balances than those of last year. To the layman it appears as though they are expecting to use them later for propaganda to sell stocks or bonds.

R. H. Ballard, secretary of the Edison Electric Company makes the following statement of the holdings of that corporation and the business transacted last year:

The Edison company received from the people of Los Angeles for incandescent lighting, $636,201.23; for arc lighting $28,574.60; for power service, $277,912.19. The total amount received was $932,988.01.

The expenditure during the year for the Los Angeles service was $612,684.87.

The works, lines, plants and property owned by the Edison company is valued at $6,172,191.10. The actual cost of this property is placed at $6,671,216.02.

The revenue received for supplying light and power to cities outside Los Angeles for the year is estimated, in thousands, as follows: Pasadena, $187,-000; Pomona, $35,000; Santa Ana, $85,-000; Redlands, $167,000; Santa Monica, $112,000; Redondo, $46,000; San Pedro, $42,000; Long Beach, $110,000; Whittier, $22,000; Monrovia, $22,000. The total revenue derived from all sources is estimated at $1,768,425.

The cost of supplying electric light and power to consumers outside of Los Angeles is $479,232.76.

During the year the Edison company supplied in electric light to Los Angeles 8,986,429 KWH; in power service it suplied 21,499,230 KWH; the total supplied was 30,485,759 KWH.

The People's Gas and Coke Company makes the following statement:

Assets, $255,568; liabilities, $212,189; income, including bonds sold, $183,-568; expenses, $178,441; balance to profit and loss for the year, $5126.

During the year the company manufactured 57,000,000 cubic feet of gas, and sold by meter 51,000,000. The daily capacity of the works was increased 1,000,000 cubic feet during the year, and its present capacity is 2,000,000 cubic feet.

On December 31 of last year this company was delivering gas to 1926 customers.

The Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company reports that its total receipts from the sale of gas, tar and carbon were $1,531,344; the expenses of the company for the year were $1,163,-439; of this amount, $345,364 went for wages to employés, and $411,000 for manufacturing supplies. During the year the company spent $692,100 for "betterments."

For the year the company sold 2,-051,715,900 cubic feet of gas.

The actual cost of all property, real and personal, owned by the gas department of this company is given to be $8 908,417. The present value of this property is estimated at $5,774,534.

The electrical department receipts for the year were $729,404 from the sale of electric light, and $78,940 from the sale of electric power, making a total of $808,344. The expenditures of the electric department total $658,506. The company supplied for light 11,685,704 KWH., and for power 2,042,765 KWH., making a total of 14,328,469 kilowatt-hours.

The real and personal property of the electrical department represents an expenditure of $2,743,180; the cash value is $3,417,743.

The new City Clerk Company sent to the City Clerk a polite note, just to call attention to the fact that it is on the tax roll. The company says it is not engaged in the manufacture of gas, but that it will be in the near future. The first vice-president adds that he will take pleasure in appearing before the Council on February 17 to make a statement of what the company expects to do.

The Pacific Light and Power Company reports that its earnings from electric light supplied within the city total $463,383; from power supplied in the city, $525,894, making its total receipts from all sources $1,281,955.

The company expended $438,814 for supplying light and power in Los Angeles and $45,757 for supplying outside points; $380,940 was expended for plants outside the city, and for interest. The total expenditure was $867,-912.

The company sold 4,549,133 KWH. for light in the city and 2,092,851 outside the city; for power it sold 43,348,-792 KWH. in the city and 4,092,344 outside. The total sales for the year were 53,981,120 kilowatt-hours.

The present value of the property is $6,646,606; the sum of $586,667 has been spent for replacements, making the actual cost $7,223,274.51.

The Home Telegraph and Telephone Company submits its statements under protest, asserting that the city is acting without authority of law in exacting such statement.

In Los Angeles the total receipts of the company were $712,940; outside, $16,195, making a total revenue of $729,-134.81.

The total expenditures of the company for the year were $471,299.16.

The company estimates its real and personal property to be worth $5,559,-529. This includes its franchises at the valuation placed on them by the City Assessor.

At its meeting Monday, the Council will take up these statements and commence its annual travail over the fixing of the utility rates for the coming fiscal year. The rates fixed this month will go into effect on July 1. It is not likely that there will be much consideration of the rates for electric light and power. Last February the Council entered into a "gentleman's agreement" with the electric light and power companies that the rate then named should continue in effect for three years.

The Council has the right to ask for additional information if that contained in the annual statements is not considered by the members to be sufficient to enable them to act intelligently in fixing the rate. It is possible that the City Auditor and the City Attorney will ask for additional data concerning the gas companies. There may also be a consideration of a proposal to abolish the present duplicate telephone service by securing a municipal telephone.

FOR HIGHER LICENSE.
TENTATIVE REPORT.

"We recommen that each and every street car operated in Los Angeles be required to pay a monthly license of $2, payable quarterly in advance, and that each and every car operated for a less period than a quarter be required to pay a license of $2.50 for each month so operated, and that the license for each car operated shall be placed conspicuously in the interior of the car near the cash register, and present herewith and ask your Honorable Body to adopt the accompanying ordinance."

This is the report which President Pease has prepared on regulating the license of street cars. Pease and Yonkin were appointed a month ago as a special committee to draft a new ordinance for licensing street cars. At that time the City Attorney and the auditor were appointed to assist the committee in an advisory capacity. Pease met with the two advisers one day this week when Yonkin was sick at home and prepared the above report. Yonkin has not signed it yet and there are excellent prospects for a fight over the ordinance on the floor of the Council Monday.

Some comment has been occasioned by the provision of the ordinance which makes the license greater on a car operated one hour during a month than one that operates thirty days and thirty nights. The intention of President Pease and his advisers seems to be to make it an object for the companies to keep cars running regularly; but their apparent zeal to improve the service has probably furnished a loophole through which the companies could escape payment of any tax at all. If the companies should refuse to pay and carry their contest into the courts the city would find difficulty in sustaining the validity of an ordinance in which so evident a discrepancy exists.

The opposition to the ordinance will be made along the line that it would operate to the detriment of the service. On rain days and nights the companies at times send out as many as fifty extra cars to take the place of others disabled by the water. These cars are operated a loss by the company, but they are a God-send to waterlogged travelers. The companies would be likely to let the passengers soak rather than send out the extras if the city were to impose an extra license of $2.50 when one of them left the barn.

INSPECT JAIL SITES.
COUNCIL IN DOUBT.

Eight members of the Council devoted the greater portion of the day yesterday to riding about the city inspecting the fifteen sites offered as prospective locations for a hypothetical new City Jail. In the forenoon the Council met in special session to receive offers of jail sites. The following list was presented:

Alexander McKeigan, southwest corner Jackson street and Central avenue, 150 feet on Central avenue, depth 175 feet, 26,250 square feet, $65,575; $34,606.66 in two years; $20,604.17 in three years, and $20,604.17 in four years; no interest.

J. E. Lankershim, block bounded by Seventh, Eighth, Wall and San Julian, 22,500 square feet, for $60,000.

A. N. Davidson, between Seventh and Sixth streets, on Wall street, 20,000 square feet, together with buildings, $50,000.

Stone Wall Corrall, 17,500 square feet, $21,-166.70; 50 feet, adjoining on the west, $22,500; 6750 square feet.

Wright & Callender Company, Alameda and Commercial streets, running through to Ducommun, 25,000 square feet, price $25,000.

John W. Gibbs, 281,000, adjoining the present jail site.

Bryan & Bradford, First street, near San Pedro street, containing about 25,000 square feet, $55,000.

Meyer & Gilbert, Buena Vista street, between Temple street and Fort Moore Place, 220 feet frontage on Buena Vista street, having a depth of 100 feet, for the sum of $22,000.

R. C. Hunt, Third street, 80 feet on Third street, and 80 feet on Hewitt street, about 26,000 square feet, for $46,000; also on Hewitt street, near Third, 14,200 square feet, for $42,-000; on Hewitt street, with a 40-foot frontage on Third street, $28,000; 80 feet frontage on Hewitt street, and 80 feet frontage on Third street, for $60,000.

I. B. Hamilton, property known as lots 215-17-19 Hewitt street, for $21,000.

J. M. Butler, Boyd and Wall streets, about 15,000 square feet, $60,000.

Bryan & Bradford, Temple and Olive streets, 23,500 square feet for $40,000.

J. H. Edwards Company, Wall street, $300 per front foot.

Smith & Dister, First and Hill streets, diagonally opposite the City Jail, for $100,000.

R. A. Rowan & Co., southeast corner First and Hill streets, $75,000.

R. Daniels, West Second street, on South Flower street, 20,150 square feet, for $37,000.

Four sites received honorable mention after the inspection. These were the lots on Jackson street near Central avenue, the property on East Third street, the Ducommun property on New High street and the Wright & Callender property on Commercial and Alameda streets.

To the initiated it was apparent that no real consideration was given to any of the locations; the inspection appeared to be only a cursory one. The legislators are aware that before then can buy a jail site they must provide funds to pay for it; no provision has yet been made to secure the money.

Last night the directors of an association holding in trust a lot on Wall street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, to be used for a newsboys' home, proposed to sell this lot to the city for a jail site. The lot has a frontage of fifty-two feet and a depth of 235 feet; it is one lot south of the corner of Fourth street. The directors have agreed to offer the lot to the city for $32,000. If the city accepts, the money will be used at once to erect a home for newsboys. Judge Curtis Wilbur is president of the association holding the property in trust.

THE FEDERAL COURTS.

CASE GOES OVER ANOTHER WEEK.

ALLEGED CONSPIRATOR ASKS FOR MORE TIME.

Hearing of Charge Against Mexican Accused of Participation in Plot to March Armed Force Across Border is Postponed—Witness Requests Court's Protection.

In anticipation of the preliminary examination of Manuel Sarabia, one of the four revolutionists charged with conspiracy to march an armed force into Mexico, a crowd of sympathizers gathered in the corridors of the Federal court yesterday afternoon. Counsel for the defense, however, asked for further time and United States Commissioner Van Dyke continued the case until next Saturday.

Sarabia, who was the second vice-president of the junta at St. Louis, was arrested the last of December, while in the office of the United States Marshal. He was one of the principal witnesses for the defense at the preliminary trial of Magon, Villareal and Rivera. A local rabid socialist organ has been loud in its denunciation of the Federal authorities for what it terms their "treachery in arresting an innocent man, whose only crime is his friendship for the imprisoned martyrs," but the government has secured evidence tending to show that Sarabia was one of the most dangerous members of the junta and was in the plot to organize an armed force of cutthroats at Douglas, Ariz.

Job Harriman, one of the counsel for the revolutionists, went to San Francisco yesterday to present a petition to Judge Ross in the Circuit Court for a writ of habeas corpus for Magon, Villareal and Rivera, who have been ordered removed to the Arizona jurisdiction by Judge Wellborn.

PROBE HURTS.
OBJECTS TO LAWYERS' QUERIES

The jury case of C. Z. Salling against the National Cash Register Company of Dayton, O., which has been on trial in the United States Circuit Court for two days, will be resumed Tuesday. The plaintiff is seeking to recover $100,000 damgaes for alleged injury to his reputation and business standing, caused by the circulation of certain reports by officers of the company.

X. H. Hallar, a witness for the plaintiff, was grilled by attorneys for the defense yesterday afternoon. Testimony had been intrdouced to the effect that Hallar had been prepared to promote a corset factory and to give Salling a fine position until the circulation of reports tending to reflect upon the latter's honesty. Hallar stated he had been ready to put $100,-000 in the scheme. Attorneys Lawler and Jutten began a searching examination of his financial resources and in desperation the witness appealed to the court for protection, saying that personal matters he did not care to have discussed were being probed.

GOT NO BERTH, SUES.
PULLMAN COMPANY DEFENDANT

The question of the liability of a sleeping car company for damages when it fails to furnish a berth to a passenger as agreed, is raised in a suit filed in the United States Circuit Court yesterday. Henry C. Hamilton seeks to recover $2500 damages from the Pullman company, of Chicago, because he was not provided with a berth in a sleeper while on his way from Paducah, Ky., to this city. He states that the sleeper was taken off at El Paso and he was compelled to travel in a cold, uncomfortable chair car for some distance. He claims he caught cold and suffered other annoyances.

UPHOLDS DECISION.
COURT OF APPEAL AFFIRMS.

Judgment in favor of Martin and J. W. Dalton against the Pacific-Electric company was affirmed by the District Court of Appeal yesterday. At the trial in the Superior Court, the defense introduced documents that purported to be settlements of claims for damages. The lower tribunal took the view that these were not genuine. The District Court of Appeal sees no reason for disturbing the decision of the lower court. The Daltons were injured in a wreck on the Long Beach line. Martin was given judgment for $250 and his brother for $100.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

LIE UNDER OATH, JUDGE STATES.

MAY ADVISE THAT CRIMINAL ACTION BE TAKEN.

Court's Plain Language Regarding Perjury in Divorce Trial Causes Sensation in Revolting Affair—Temporary Injunction in Alleged Bucket Shop Case Is Refused.

"I believe perjury has been committed in this case on both sides," said Judge James, sternly, yesterday afternoon at the conclusion of arguments in the divorce case of Mrs. Catherine Loree against James Loree, which has been on trial at intervals for the last three weeks.

"I believe Loree deliberately testified to what he knew was untrue when he denied the authorship of the letters. I am aware that convictions for perjury are very difficult to secure, but I shall look carefully into the problem in this case, and should the evidence warrant it, I shall refer this matter to the District Attorney that he may proceed criminally.

"I do not state at this time against whom my remarks are directed, but I shall go over the documents very carefully before giving a decision. I am not intimating that I will grant a divorce to either contestant, but should I do so, I will divide the community property equally. The testimony shows that both parties did things that on their plane of action have quite a different value from what they would have in the case of ordinary persons."

As Judge James spoke he looked sternly toward Loree, who grew nervous under his glance, indeed, both litigants exhibited uneasiness.

Courthouse officials say that the case has been the most revolting heard in a long time. Mrs. Loree, who conducts a restaurant near the Georgia-street car barn, brought the action against her husband, formerly a street-car conductor, on grounds of cruelty, while he reported with a cross-complaint charging unfaithfulness. The real bone of contention has been their $3000 Magnolia-avenue home, which both seek to obtain.

Charges of infidelity were made on both sides, and it appeared from the evidence that during their twenty years' married life, both drank too much and lived a cat-and-dog existence, which finally culminated in a grand row at their home last February, Loree trying to kill his wife with a butcher knife, while she fought him fiercely until he was taken away in a patrol wagon. Both were intoxicated.

During the trial Mrs. Loree offered in evidence letters which she said were written by Loree to her and to relatives in the East. He swore on the stand that he was not the author of them. Experts testified that the handwriting was his.

BROTHER OBJECTS.
WANTS NO GUARDIAN NAMED.

Judge Rives yesterday heard testimony for and against the appointment of a guardian for Mrs. Catherine B. Raymond, now an inmate of Patton Asylum, to which she was committed by the lunacy commission in the spring of 1905.

Attorney Percy V. Hammond petitioned the court that he be made her guardian, while her brother, W. H. Brown, opposed. The lawyer said he was acting in accordance with a suggestion of members of the lunacy commission, who desired that the $25 monthly payment toward Mrs. Raymond's support, made by her husband, who is a department clerk in Washington, should be permanently secured.

Mr. Brown's objection was based, apparently, on a belief that Raymond desires to get service on his wife in divorce proceedings, and that the appointment of a guardian was engineered in his interest. The court took the petition under advisement.

Mrs. Raymond, who formerly lived in Kansas, came to Los Angeles three years ago. Trouble over family affairs unbalanced her mind and while she was living at Hollywood, in the spring of 1905, she attempted to commit suicide and killed her fifteen-year-old son by flooding their sleeping-room with illuminating gas.

At her examination by the lunacy commission, she calmly stated that she had acted under the conviction that it was her duty to save her son from suffering in a world of sorrow, that she did not regret her act, that she was glad her son was safe from life's troubles and that she wished she were with him.

CONTEST FOLLOWS.
DAUGHTERS DISPUTE WILL.

By overruling a demurrer of Lewis Rees, husband, executor and sole heir under the will of his wife, Mrs. Hannah Rees, who died at her home, No. 566 Gladys avenue, November 14, 1905, Judge Rives yesterday opened the way to a jury trial of the petition of Mrs. Rees's two daughters by her first husband, that her will be revoked because it was obtained from her by her husband through fraud and undue influence.

The daughters, Mrs. Hannah Vignes and Miss Jennie Williams, filed their petition for a revocation in the Superior Court December 18. The will, dated July 29, 1905, was admitted to probate January 7, 1907. The entire estate, stated by the husband to be worth $6000, and by the contestants valued at $30,000, is expressly left to

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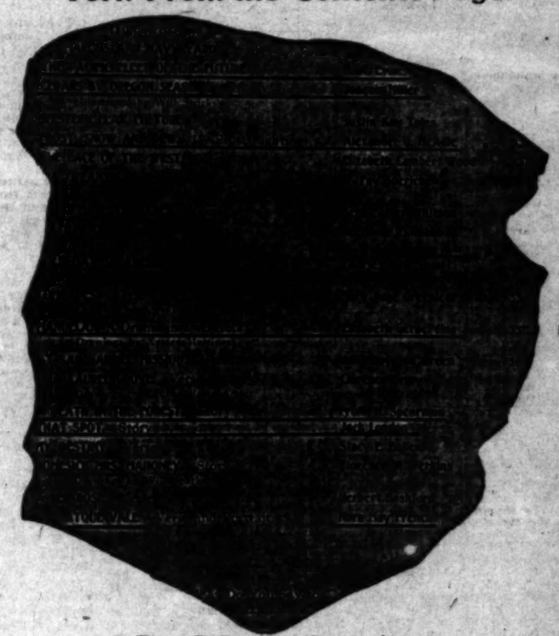

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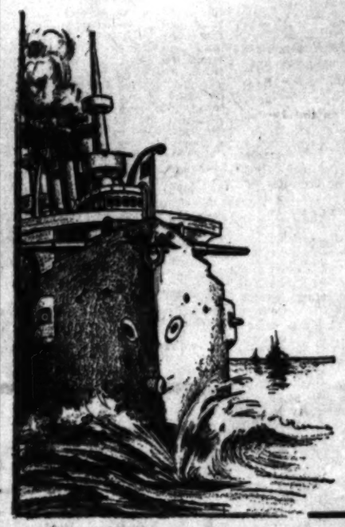

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SATURDAY, FEB

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PARSON HAS NOVEL PLA

Build Church With a Mil Ten-Cent Coins.

Gospel Campaign of Busi Men to Close.

Committee Will Go Aft Big Convention.

"A mile of dimes" is to be the of a new church about to be bui the Congregationalists at Colegro

Rev. A. A. Kidder, who came to Angeles a few years ago, and surp the public by announcing himself "The Hotel Parson," offering his ices for weddings, funerals, visiting sick, and other duties for which a ister might be required. His price the services rendered was nothing, his telephone number was on tap or night.

It presented itself as a novel achi and possibly some people vie Brother Kidder as some degree crak, but he carried himself so vorably that he at once became thought of among those who for his acquaintance, and has steadily his place in their esteem.

His next step was to establish s jees in a hall on Sunday, which all "shut-ins" were invited to attend, merely taking down their telephone ceivers and listening to the sermon

He finally broke away from this of endeavor, which was probably pl ty of work and mighty poor pay, went to the assistance of Trinity C gregational Church in the south part of the city, and by sheer abi and determination put it "on its fe to quote a local minister.

He finally took hold of what look to him like a favorable location for Congregational church at Colegro and in his efforts to build a chu there, he has the support of his d denomination and the confidence of who know him. He has named it "Union Church Colegrove."

His fertile brain has evolved a pl for garnering from the world-w field "a mile of dimes," each will helper being asked to raise money f at least one foot of the mile. The l tle card coin-holders are six inch long, when folded, and will hold si teen dimes, making a line just abo one foot long, being a little sho owing to the desire to have an ev number of dimes in each folder. The will be placed in the hands of perso willing to circulate one or more, a will also be sent out to individuals be filled and returned. If you wish pay $50 to the church it will not, ho ever, be necessary to change it in dimes, but you will get credit with 1 feet.

The scheme will be launched tomo row, and will close on March 15, which time all the foot-long envelope will be strung up to the ceiling of th hall, as a novel demonstration of wh has been accomplished.

The immediate necessity for th money is to pay for a small church an an acre of ground, on which Mr. Kid der has an option that will expire o April 1. This church is owned by th Episcopalians, who have abandoned th field, while Mr. Kidder has 300 fami lies enlisted in his work and has Sunday-school of over 200 members.

GOSPEL CAMPAIGN.
CLOSING MEETINGS SUNDAY.

The final meetings of the business men's gospel campaign will be held today and tomorrow. Yesterday ended with a wonderful meeting in Monarch rink, at 7:30 o'clock p.m., at which Rev. W. L. Tucker was the preacher. His sermon was declared by a man of wide experience to have been "one of the mightiest ever heard in Los Angeles." Mr. Tucker will speak at Second and Los Angeles streets today at noon; Dr. Eli McClish will be at the City Hall, and able speakers at all the usual places.

Another midnight meeting will be held in the rink tonight, preceded by a march through the streets, which will end at the place of meeting at 11 o'clock.

On Sunday afternoon at 1:45 o'clock Rev. T. C. Horton will speak in Central Park, and Rev. R. A. Hadden in the rink at 2:30 o'clock. The closing meeting in the rink on Sunday night will be for praise and thanksgiving, and it is anticipated will be a great ending of what has been a phenomenal Gospel campaign. Little Annie Rowe will sing at the afternoon meeting.

HUSTLERS WILL GO NORTH.
AFTER GREAT CONVENTION.

The contest between Los Angeles and San Francisco, for the honor of entertaining the international Sunday-school convention, in 1911, has reached the stage when it is desirable that the matter be amicably adjusted. Though the time looks far ahead, the importance of the early settlement of the question may be judged from the fact that the Southern Pacific Railway has furnished free transportation to a committee of five Los Angeles representatives, who will go to San Francisco on next Tuesday, and attempt to settle the matter with a like committee of San Franciscans. The representatives of Los Angeles will be Hugh C. Gibson, field secretary of the Southern California Sunday-school Association; W. L. Porterfield, president; Rev. A. C. Smither, Nathan Newby, and one other to be selected.

Mr. Gibson said yesterday that if they find it impossible to agree on a place for the convention, they will contend for leaving the matter entirely in the hands of the international committee. It looks like a sure job for the big committee.

Mr. Gibson has called the county Sunday-school convention to meet in this city on April 17 and 18, and has made a master stroke in getting Marion Lawrence and E. O. Excell for his drawing cards. They will remain here over Sunday, April 19, for which date great meetings will be arranged.

BIG BAPTIST BUNCH.
THINGS DOING AMONG 'EM.

The work of Dr. J. Q. A. Henry at the First Baptist Church has been marked with phenomenal success during the four months of his pastorate. He has received more than 100 new members in that time, but yet he has chosen for his Sunday morning topic: "Lost, Strayed or Stolen—Thousands of Baptists in Los Angeles." Dr. Henry is a strong and eloquent preacher, and in the evening announces the sizzling subject: "Society's Drunken Carousal." This will be the first of a nightly series of revival meetings, and B. P. Stout will sing.

Dr. Robert J. Burdette, pastor of Temple Baptist Church, announces as the subject of his "sermonette" on Sunday night, the regular monthly musical night at Temple Church, "Catholic Hymns in the Baptist Hymnal." All the music will be from Latin hymn writers. Owing to the illness of Kingsley, Miss Alice Coleman will preside at the

RELIGIOUS.

PARSON HAS NOVEL PLAN.

Build Church With a Mile of Ten-Cent Coins.

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Committee Will Go After a Big Convention.

"A mile of dimes" is to be the price of a new church about to be built by the Congregationalists at Colegrove.

Rev. A. A. Kidder, who came to Los Angeles a few years ago, and surprised the public by announcing himself as "The Hotel Parson," offering his services for weddings, funerals, visiting the sick, and other duties for which a minister might be required. His price for the services rendered was nothing, and his telephone number was on tap day or night.

It presented itself as a novel scheme, and possibly some people viewed Brother Kidder as some degree of a crank, but he carried himself so favorably that he at once became well thought of among those who formed his acquaintance, and has steadily held his place in their esteem.

His next step was to establish services in a hall on Sunday, which all the "shut-ins" were invited to attend, by merely taking down their telephone receivers and listening to the sermon.

He finally broke away from this line of endeavor, which was probably plenty of work and mighty poor pay, and went to the assistance of Trinity Congregational Church in the southern part of the city, and by sheer ability and determination put it "on its feet," to quote a local minister.

He finally took hold of what looked to him like a favorable location for a Congregational church at Colegrove, and in his efforts to build a church there, he has the support of his own denomination and the confidence of all who know him. He has named it the "Union Church Colegrove."

His fertile brain has evolved a plan for garnering from the world-wide field "a mile of dimes," each willing helper being asked to raise money for at least one foot of the mile. The little card coin-holders are six inches long, when folded, and will hold sixteen dimes, making a line just about one foot long, being a little short, owing to the desire to have an even number of dimes in each folder. These will be placed in the hands of persons willing to circulate one or more, and will also be sent out to individuals to be filled and returned. If you wish to pay $50 to the church it will not, however, be necessary to change it into dimes, but you will get credit with 31¼ feet.

The scheme will be launched tomorrow, and will close on March 15, at which time all the foot-long envelopes will be strung up to the ceiling of the hall, as a novel demonstration of what has been accomplished.

The immediate necessity for the money is to pay for a small church and an acre of ground, on which Mr. Kidder has an option that will expire on April 1. This church is owned by the Episcopalians, who have abandoned the field, while Mr. Kidder has 200 families enlisted in his work and has a Sunday-school of over 200 members.

GOSPEL CAMPAIGN.

CLOSING MEETINGS SUNDAY.

The final meetings of the business men's gospel campaign will be held today and tomorrow. Yesterday ended with a wonderful meeting in Monarch rink, at 7:30 o'clock p.m., at which Rev. W. L. Tucker was the preacher. His sermon was declared by a man of wide experience to have been "one of the mightiest ever heard in Los Angeles." Mr. Tucker will speak at Second and Los Angeles streets today at noon; Dr. Eli McClish will be at the City Hall, and able speakers at all the usual places.

Another midnight meeting will be held in the rink tonight, preceded by a march through the streets, which will end at the place of meeting at 11 o'clock.

On Sunday afternoon at 1:45 o'clock Rev. T. C. Horton will speak in Central Park, and Rev. R. A. Hadden in the rink at 2:30 o'clock. The closing meeting in the rink on Sunday night will be for praise and thanksgiving, and it is anticipated will be a great ending of what has been a phenomenal gospel campaign. Little Annie Row will sing at the afternoon meeting.

HUSTLERS WILL GO NORTH.

AFTER GREAT CONVENTION.

The contest between Los Angeles and San Francisco, for the honor of entertaining the international Sunday-school convention, in 1911, has reached the stage when it is desirable that the matter be amicably adjusted. Though the time looks far ahead, the importance of the early settlement of the question may be judged from the fact that the Southern Pacific Railway has furnished free transportation to a committee of five Los Angeles representatives, who will go to San Francisco on next Tuesday, and attempt to settle the matter with a like committee of San Franciscans. The representatives of Los Angeles will be Hugh C. Gibson, field secretary of the Southern California Sunday-school Association; W. L. Porterfield, president; Rev. A. C. Smither, Nathan Newby, and one other to be selected.

Mr. Gibson said yesterday that if they find it impossible to agree on a plan for the convention, they will consult for leaving the matter entirely in the hands of the international committee. It looks like a sure job for the big committee.

Mr. Gibson has called the county Sunday-school convention to meet in this city on April 17 and 18, and has made a master stroke in getting Marion Lawrence and E. O. Excell for his drawing cards. They will remain here over Sunday, April 19, for which date great meetings will be arranged.

BIG BAPTIST BUNCH.

THINGS DOING AMONG 'EM.

The work of Dr. J. Q. A. Henry at the First Baptist Church has been marked with phenomenal success during the four months of his pastorate. He has received more than 100 new members in that time, but yet he has chosen for his Sunday morning topic: "Lost, Strayed or Stolen—Thousands of Baptists in Los Angeles." Dr. Henry is a strong and eloquent preacher, and in the evening announces the sizzling subject: "Society's Drunken Carousal." This will be the first of a nightly series of revival meetings, and B. F. Stout will sing.

Dr. Robert J. Burdette, pastor of Temple Baptist Church, announces as the subject of his "sermonette" on Sunday night, the regular monthly musical night at Temple Church, "Catholic Hymns in the Baptist Hymnal." All the music will be from Latin hymn writers. Owing to the illness of Kingsley, Miss Alice Coleman will preside at the organ. "The Foolishness of Preaching" will be Dr. Burdette's morning topic. The February meeting of the foreign mission department will be held on Friday afternoon, when Mrs. E. M. Hill, a returned missionary, will speak.

Rev. W. L. Tucker of Calvary Baptist Church, Boyle Heights, has arranged a Bible conference, from February 5 to 9, at 2:30 p.m., in which speakers of all denominations will take part. He announces, among the speakers W. E. Blackstone, Rev. George Soltau, Maj. Hilton, Rev. R. A. Hadden, Rev. T. C. Horton, Dr. Waddell, Dr. Gordon, Dr. Allison, Rev. Albert Hatcher, Smith, Dr. John Mabie, Rev. A. B. Prichard and Dr. J. Q. A. Henry. The meeting will be conducted after the order of Northfield, Lake Geneva or Winona.

Rev. William H. Walker, Jr., will hold his inaugural service as pastor of the Highland Park Baptist Church, tomorrow morning, where he has succeeded Rev. Mr. Reynolds. The church is located at Avenue 57 and Pasadena avenue. His morning subject asks the pertinent question: "Why Did Yo Send for Me?" Mr. Walker some months ago left the Calvary Baptist Church, where he had served four years and built a new church, on account of ill health, and he now takes up a promising but much smaller field. He is secretary to the Baptist City Missionary Society, and will give some time to that work.

RELIGIOUS BRIEFS.

YOUNG WOMEN'S CONCERT.

The mid-year concert of the Young Women's Christian Association was held last night, and was attended by the largest audience that ever gathered in the rooms of the association. The music was by the Choral Club and the two association orchestras combined, supplemented by solo singing by Miss Meryl Wolff, and dialect reading by Mrs. Fannie Collins. It was a splendid entertainment, and was enjoyed and appreciated by the large audience.

"That Ox" will be the subject of an address by Rev. George Soltau, at the Y.M.C.A. men's meeting, at 3:30 Sunday afternoon. There will be plenty of good music by the boys' chair and the newly-organized instrumental trio.

Mrs. Thomas of the Missionary Training School will speak of the Alaskan Esquimaux at the vesper service at the Young Women's Christian Association, on Sunday at 4 o'clock.

J. H. Francis, principal of the Polytechnic High School, will deliver an address on Sunday evening, in the First United Brethren Church, Pico and Hope streets. There will be a musical programme by the choir and orchestra.

"A Feast and a Fight" will be the subject of the morning sermon tomorrow, by Rev. Frank Cornell of the First Friends' Church. In the evening Evangelist Edward Smith will commence a series of revival meetings in the same church.

At Union Rescue Mission, No. 145 North Main street, H. A. Getz will speak on Sunday evening, and Mrs. Dockstader and Miss Heintzelman will sing. At the City Rescue Mission, No. 606 East Fifth street, Ben F. Pearson will speak on Sunday evening.

The young ladies of Christ Episcopal Church gave an old-fashioned birthday party at the church last night, at which refreshments and all kinds of games were enjoyed.

There will be no evening service at the First Congregational Church, Sunday, the twilight communion and reception of members, at 4 o'clock, taking the place of the regular service.

An all-day missionary meeting will be held today at Peniel Hall, No. 227 South Main street. Services at 11 o'clock a.m., 2:30 and 4 o'clock p.m.

Ireland, in song, story and scenery, will be the attraction tonight at the Salvation Army Citadel on San Pedro street. One hundred views will be shown at the free entertainment.

Bicknell Young will deliver a lecture on Christian Science in Temple Auditorium on Sunday afternoon, which is free to the public.

MINES AND MINING.

MEXICO GETS MORE MONEY.

ANOTHER LOCAL COMPANY OPERATES IN REPUBLIC.

Consolidated Arizona Smelting Company Has Been Reorganized. Humboldt Smelter Will Soon Resume—Important Strikes in Jalisco—Bullfrog Mines on the Jump.

Mexico is invaded by Los Angeles capital in every direction, and there seems to be no nooks or crannies far enough away to deter the seeker after good mines from his hunt for riches. The Huiriachic Mines Company is a Los Angeles concern, which has recently acquired valuable property in the Chaichihuites district, State of Zacatecas, located directly west of Gutierrez, a prominent station upon the main line of the Mexican Central Railroad leading from El Paso to the City of Mexico.

The company owns nine promising mineral claims, containing 104.42 pertenencias, or 258 acres, including the Guadalupe and La Blanca mines. Three main lodes, the central one being the greatest, traverse the property its extreme length—a distance of 6534 feet. Rich ore in shipping quantities has been produced from not less than ten shafts varying in depth from 60 to 230 feet.

For the present the company will confine its attention to the development of the Guadalupe and La Blanca mines, which are in the most advanced stage of development. The main shaft on the Guadalupe has reached a depth of 190 feet, and this has lately been newly timbered, the workings cleaned out, a Mexican malacite or whim installed, a gallows frame erected and the mine unwatered. The vein disclosed by the work is twelve feet wide, with well-defined walls. It is a true fissure vein in limestone. The average of twenty-two assays give returns of $50.08 per ton, with principal values in lead and silver.

The La Blanca has three vertical shafts, the deepest 230 feet. Ore was raised in cowhides by the Mexicans many years ago and smelted at eight near-by adobe smelters. All development has been done in solid ore, the vein being about fifteen feet in width. Seventeen assays taken from the workings gave an average value of $47.35 per ton, also in silver and lead.

It is now proposed to go to further depth on both properties and at the same time ore will be extracted from the present workings. On the Guadalupe the present 53-foot shaft will be carried down to the 400-foot level. The old workings of the La Blanca will be cleaned out at once, and it is expected that shipments from both mines will be forthcoming in a very short time. There are now twenty-five men working on the property.

Among those heavily interested in the property are C. D. Mansfield, who has had eight years' practical experience in the immediate district, and who acts as president and manager of the company; H. D. Underwood, Los Angeles representative of the London Fire Insurance Company; H. M. McDonald, president of the Los Angeles Bond and Mortgage Company; H. F. Campbell, manager of the bond department of the Merchants' Trust Company and Fielding J. Stilson, president of the Los Angeles Chamber of Mines.

Among the noted mines of the district, in which the company is operating, are the Conjuro, paying over $100,000 profit in 1907, with a record of twenty years uninterrupted production of rich silver-lead ores; the El Roble, with 30,000 tons of copper ore averaging 6 per cent, now ready for shipment; the Canoas, which is producing ores carrying from $125 to $150 gold and over $250 silver per ton, and the Sombrerete mines, which have produced over $160,000,000 gold, silver, lead and copper, and for which mines the owners were recently offered $18,000,000. In addition, the Santa Rita, the Nungano, the Candalaria, the San Juan and the Doloros have reached such a stage of development that they are about to become extensive and profitable producers.

Always First.

Early in this month was printed in this column an account of a consolidation of important mining properties by Thomas W. Lawson and which included the Consolidated Arizona Smelting Company, owning mines and smelter at Humboldt, Ariz., the Balakiala and Trinity mines, in Shasta county, California, and the Nevada, Utah Company, owning property in Bingham Cañon, Utah, and Piocho, Nev. The information was received from a well-known Arizona mining man of this city and was the first public intimation of the plans, either here or in the East, where the arrangements are being perfected.

Confirmation of the consolidation has now come from the East through the columns of the New York Commercial. So far as it affects the Humboldt smelter, the deal calls for an immediate payment of $40,000 by the purchasers, subsequent payments to be made from time to time until $1,000,000 will have been paid over for control. In addition, 1,400,000 shares of the company's 1,700,000 shares of capital stock will be tied up in a pool for over a year. The purchasing syndicate has undertaken, in addition to its payments for control, to place a $500,000 ore-purchasing fund at the disposal of the company.

The property has been in the hands of a receiver for nearly two months but it is now certain that operations will soon be resumed on a larger and better basis than heretofore. As mentioned in this column a few days ago the Santa Fé Railroad has recently put into effect attractive rates on Gold-field ores to Humboldt and other southern smelters.

From Rhyolite.

G. E. Turpin, one of the best-known and most successful mining men of the Bullfrog district, is a visitor in the city. He reports a much better feeling in the district and says that more genuine development work is going on than at any time in the past. The Montgomery-Shoshone mill is steadily grinding out wealth; the Homestake is building its twenty-five stamp mill; the Gold Bar has just started up a ten-stamp mill, which will now be increased to forty stamps, and the Mayflower has just commenced excavating for a twenty-stamp mill.

Mr. Turpin, in partnership with J. E. Bevis, is a heavy stockholder in the Montgomery-Shoshone, to which concern they sold the Polaris-Shoshone at the time of the consolidation, and they are also interested in the Amethyst, another of the greater properties of the camp. They operated extensively in Greenwater during that "busted" boom and are also large owners in the Honeysuckle and other properties in the Lee-Echo district.

More Local Luck.

Excellent news has recently been received by the local owners of the La Maistral and Los Mores mines, near Ameca, in Jalisco State, Mexico. The property was first developed by a cross-cut tunnel, which cut the ore body at a depth of 250 feet. Drifting to the east was then undertaken, and at a point 200 feet from the cross-cut intersection another cross-cut was run to determine the width of the ore. It showed forty-three feet of fine material that will average over 4 per cent. copper. Drifting was then resumed on the hanging wall, and another cross-cut is now being run 200 feet east of the last one. When news left the mine about a week ago the ore body had been penetrated five feet at this point, and showed a mass of ore assaying 10 per cent. in copper. A winze has been sunk to a depth of thirty feet, but the inflow of water has become so large that it will be necessary to install pumping apparatus before the work can be carried on. At this point some of the best ore in the mine has been encountered. The property is being worked by 125 men, under the superintendency of James P. Harvey, late manager of the Furnace Creek Copper Company's property at Greenwater, and there appears to be little doubt that one of the largest bodies of copper ore in the State has been developed. The property is owned by Patrick Clark, the well-known operator of Spokane, and H. L. Percy, F. M. Lyons and James P. Harvey of this city.

Seeley W. Mudd, local mining engineer, who is also general manager of the Queen Esther mines, near Mojave, Cal., left on Tuesday for New York and other eastern points. He will be absent from home for about a month.

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6	50,010	22	49,750
7	50,520	23	49,750
8	50,050	24	49,500
9	50,500	25	50,000
10	50,810	26	74,000
11	50,010	27	50,050
12	73,500	28	49,950
13	49,800	29	49,070
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HARRY CHANDLER, Assistant General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of January, 1908.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN, Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

A. L. Dennis, being duly sworn, declares that he is and has been for ten years last past Superintendent of Circulation of the Los Angeles Times; that the above detailed statement of circulation for the month of January, 1908, is correct, and shows the actual number of papers printed for each day of the month named.

A. L. DENNIS, Superintendent of Circulation, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of January, 1908.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN, Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CLASS PERFORMANCE.

Los Angeles High School Students Will Present Sardou Comedy in Assembly Hall.

"A Scrap of Paper," Sardou's brilliant little comedy, will be presented by the winter class of '08 of the Los Angeles High School Thursday evening. For the first time the assembly hall of the science building will be used for a class performance.

The translation is that of J. Palgrave Simpson, which was used by the Belasco company a few months ago, when the comedy was given under the title of "Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary." Harold Clark of California, '07, is putting the youngsters through their paces and is more than pleased with the ability they have shown. Josephine Botts as Susanne, and Frank Badgeley as Prosper Couramont promise exceptionally well in the leading parts. Badgeley is possessed of an excellent stage presence, and Miss Botts adequately meets the exacting requirements of her part.

Wesley Howell, president of the Star and Crescent Society, will fill the important position of property man, and upon him will rest a goodly share of the responsibility for success. The school science department will furnish the "props" for the museum scene.

The plot is concerned with the efforts of Prosper Couramont to keep out of the hands of Baron de la Glaciere a love letter written to his wife, Louise, three years before her marriage. The parts are assigned as follows: Prosper Couramont, Frank Badgeley; Baron de la Glaciere, Arthur Polaski; Brismouche, Loring Rogers; Anatole, Rex Kennedy; Baptiste, John Beman; Francois, George Wheat; Susanne, Josephine Botts; Louise de la Glaciere, Agnes Brown; Mathilde, Sophia Kubach; Mme. Dupont, Grace Welker; Pauline, Ethel Marsales.

Senior day will not be as elaborate an affair as heretofore. There will be no play; the ordinary literary and musical programme of the Star and Crescent Society will be given and the Senior A's will be presented with their Star and Crescent pins. This year the winter class will graduate by itself at the end of the February term, instead of waiting until June, as formerly.

ADVISORY BOARD.

The directors of the Barlow Sanitorium yesterday elected the following advisory board, to assist in the government of the institution: Rt. Rev. Thomas Conaty, Rt. Rev. J. H. Johnson, Mmes. J. H. Norton, E. T. Earl, Randolph Miner, Milo M. Potter, Hugh MacNeil and Enoch Knight, Miss C. E. Thomas, Drs. H. B. Brainerd, Millbank and Johnson, and Messrs. C. C. Desmond, W. G. Kerckhoff, A. Ramish and J. S. Torrance.

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Pursuant to the consent in writing of the holders of more than two-thirds of the capital stock of Columbia Oil Producing Company, a corporation organized and created under the general laws of the State of California, which was filed in the office of said corporation with its secretary on January 23rd, 1908, authorizing the change of the principal place of business as hereinafter set forth, and pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors of said Columbia Oil Producing Company unanimously adopted at a regular meeting of said Board of Directors held at the office of said corporation in Los Angeles, California, on the 22nd day of January, 1908, authorizing the change and removal of the principal place of business of said corporation, as hereinafter specified, and authorizing the publication of notice of the intended removal and change;

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that said Columbia Oil Producing Company intends to change and remove its principal place of business and its principal office, from the City of Los Angeles, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, where said principal place of business and said principal office is now situated, to the One Hundred Acre Tract of Land in Orange County, California, commonly known as and designated "COLUMBIA OIL PRODUCING COMPANY LEASE," where the wells and principal operations of this company are located; said One Hundred Acre Tract of land is a part of and is located in the extreme northwesterly portion of the Rancho San Juan Cajon de Santa Ana, and being the easterly One Hundred Acres of that certain larger tract of land containing 1214.85 acres described in and conveyed by deed from the Stearns Ranchos Company to the Union Oil Company of California, bearing date the 4th day of December, 1894, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Orange County in Book 20 of Deeds, at page 11, and said One Hundred Acre Tract of land is covered by and is particularly described in Lease from the Union Oil Company of California to Columbia Oil Producing Company, dated Feb. 26th, 1901, and recorded in Book 2, page 128 of Leases, Records of Orange County, California, to which lease and records thereof reference is hereby made.

By order of the Board of Directors of said corporation.

Dated at Los Angeles, California, January 24th, 1908.

COLUMBIA OIL PRODUCING COMPANY.
By W. B. Scott, its President.
By Charles Astley, its Secretary.

NOTICE OF INTENDED REMOVAL AND CHANGE OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS OF PUENTE OIL COMPANY.

Pursuant to the consent in writing of the holders of more than two-thirds of the capital stock of PUENTE OIL COMPANY, a corporation organized and created under the general laws of the State of California, which was filed in the office of said corporation with its secretary, on January 22, 1908, authorizing the change of the principal place of business as hereinafter set forth, and pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Directors of said PUENTE OIL COMPANY unanimously adopted at a regular meeting of said Board of Directors held at the office of said corporation in Los Angeles, California, on the 22nd day of January, 1908, authorizing the change and removal of the principal place of business of said corporation, as hereinafter specified, and authorizing the publication of notice of said intended removal and change,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that said PUENTE OIL COMPANY intends to change and remove its principal place of business and its principal office from the City of Los Angeles, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, where said principal place of business, and said principal office is now situated, to the principal office building of the PUENTE OIL COMPANY on the southeast quarter of section 2, township 2 south, Range 9 west, S. B. M., in Orange County, State of California.

By order of the Board of Directors of said corporation.

Dated at Los Angeles, California, January 24, 1908.

PUENTE OIL COMPANY.
By William R. Rowland, its President.
By T. W. Okey, its Secretary.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Murphy Oil Company will be held at 761 H. W. Hellman Building, 354 South Spring street, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on Tuesday, the 11th day of February, 1908, at 2 P. M. for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year, and also to transact such other business as may be presented for their consideration. J. T. F. BAEYERTZ, Secretary, Los Angeles, Cal., February 1st, 1908.

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Editorial Pen Points

Teddy's in the White House,
Holding things down level,
Jeff Davis in the Senate is
Prepared to raise the ——.

The trouble with the Straits of Magellan seems to be that they are not straight enough.

The mortality list having shown an inclination to fall off, the deadly grade crossing is again making its appearance.

"The Senators smiled when the message was read," says the dispatch. But it is the smile that soon wears off.

As a matter of fact the troubles of Gladys will commence the minute she buckles down to learn the Hungarian language.

John A. Johnson looks good to the Democratic party, but he doesn't look good to William J. Bryan; so there's an end on't.

Another feature of the situation is that Mr. Roosevelt is always sure of a large and attentive audience when he says anything.

"We begin to think that the big stick is hollow inside," said a Richmond editor last week. What does he think this week?

"The bronco buster" has evidently not yet lost the knack of roping the wild trust steers that still roam the plains of commerce.

About all that the people of the East appear to be doing is to sit around the stoves and talk about next summer's baseball games.

Although, in a way, he has something tangible to show for it, Financier Morse still has a great many of the earmarks of a he Cassie Chadwick.

An Arkansas preacher gives it as his opinion that hell is a large city. It certainly must be if everybody went there who has been told to go.

We have not heard from Mr. Rockefeller and the other Standard Oil magnates, but we are confident that they have again suffered a rude shock.

It is surprising how few men have served in the office of the President of the United States when one considers how frequently we hold elections.

There seems always to be some Congressmen ready to defend the administration, but usually the administration is perfectly able to defend itself.

Napoleon once said: "Egypt is the most important country in the world." He'd change his mind if he were living now; but we are mentioning no names.

The two Japs who have dropped off at Punta Arenas stand an elegant show to be ducked unless they can prove that they have some other business there.

Mr. Taft having presented Gov. Hughes with the New York delegation the least the Governor might do is to give it back to Taft after he is through with it.

Again there comes a "cry from Macedonia." We do not think that Macedonia could get along without a cry, any more than a lamb could get along without a bleat.

The army recruiting sergeants are advised to make hay while the sun shines, which is to say that while men are out of work it is a good time to get them to enlist.

A boy in Indiana walked 5760 miles in order to get an education. He is different from most boys, who walk even farther than that to avoid getting an education.

Probably the best that California will be able to do in this year's struggle will be to present a favorite son to second the nomination of some other favorite son.

The Rooseveltian style of literature has the merit of being so plain and direct that even a Philadelphia lawyer will find difficulty in extracting two meanings from it.

A steam shovel may be able to do the work of forty men, as claimed, but if the one man who is required to run it were to quit it wouldn't be worth its weight in old junk.

"Mere money is not success," says Charlie Schwab. Success be hanged! when a man can have an automobile, a sideboard, and the price of whatever his insides or outsides may desire.

We notice that there is a submarine boat called "The Viper," but just which of the "undesirable citizens" on Mr. Roosevelt's list it was the intention to honor we can't exactly say.

Notice is hereby served on the army of the unemployed that the army of the United States has places for about twenty thousand able-bodied men who are willing to report on the job at once.

The words "wha" and "hae" are as frequent in Chinese as in Scotch. Now that the Chinese New Year is being celebrated somebody might make a hit by writing a song to be entitled "Chinks Wha Hae," etc.

It is said that when the Danish poet, Drachman, walked the streets men turned to look after him. Men also turn to look after poets in this country, but it is usually because they are afraid something will run over them.

During the past year there were 25,446 new laws passed by the various State Legislatures of the United States. There are now almost as many laws on the statute books of this country as there are people supposed to obey them.

ANOTHER MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT.

President Roosevelt yesterday sent another long and strong message to Congress urging the passage of a new employers' liability law which shall stand the test of constitutionality, advocating legislation to prevent abuses or injustice in the administration of injunction proceedings by the courts, and reiterating his well-known views with respect to the violation of the laws of the land by corporate offenders. Undoubtedly the President was moved to another declaration of principles and defense of policies by the attacks of opponents and the campaign which representatives of great interests have been conducting against him. The message is one of the most eloquent the President has written. In spots it fairly burns. Nothing that has come from his pen has exceeded it in virility and sharpness of expression. It evidently comes from his heart and was meant to be a complete declaration of Rooseveltian doctrine with regard to the illegal encroachments of trusts and the offenses of law-defying magnates. As usual the President looks at both sides of every phase of the great question which he discusses, and while denouncing the capitalistic transgressor, he takes pains to emphasize the necessity of protecting vested rights and to deprecate legislation which shall thwart honest enterprise. "We want prosperity," says the President; but with an energy and a warmth that will arouse the country he again avows his purpose to weary not in his warfare against the crimes and criminals of "high finance." From day to day The Times will discuss the various features of the message, which will long linger in the public mind and which demand careful consideration.

THIS IS NOT A "CARRIE" NATION.

A distinguished Boer patriot who fought gloriously for the independence of the Transvaal and lost is here on a crusade and wishes to draw the United States into it.

Gen. Joubert is disturbed in soul over the slave trade said to exist in Portuguese Africa. He wishes our country to take a hand in suppressing this unrighteous trade.

So it goes. Yesterday it was Russia that we were called upon to chastise. The day before we were asked to take the Congo from old Leopold of Belgium. Prior to that it was the "unspeakable Turk" whom we were besought to suppress. Today it is Portugal that we are to drive out of West Africa.

We should proclaim to the world at large that Uncle Sam is not Don Quixote, nor Peter the Hermit—that Carrie Nation of Kansas is not typical of Americans, but a purely accidental development.

Russian oppression is bad, very bad. But it is Russian, not American. Turkish bigotry is narrow and ferocious, but it is in Turkey. There is a divergence in the testimony as to conditions in the Congo, and whichever story is nearest correct, we have no control over that country, and our interest there is purely humanitarian. So as to Portuguese West Africa.

As individuals we may feel deeply for the oppressed of all nations, of all races, of all colors. But as a nation we are not called upon to interfere in the internal affairs of other nations or of colonies which in no way concern us.

Gen. Washington's words are still a living force among us, and the wisdom of steering clear of all entangling alliances with foreign powers is as plain now as it was a hundred years ago. We have a good many difficulties of our own, some domestic, some colonial, some in our foreign relations. It will tax the humanity, patriotism and manhood of us all to bear our own burdens, without making of the United States the carry-nation of all the wrongs on earth.

HISTORY'S CALM VERDICT.

"When it was announced that William McKinley was elected to the Presidency, the fires were kindled as if by magic in the furnaces of our factories that had stood idle for years, laborers were recalled to their former places, and business started everywhere; joy came into homes and gladness filled the land with song."

The martyred President's birthday was generally celebrated in this country on Wednesday last, and at a memorial dinner in this city on Thursday, the chief speaker, among other eloquent remarks, uttered the words quoted above. The speaker referred to McKinley as one of the greatest of our Presidents and established the truth of his opinion by copious reference to the life record of the martyr. He was useful to his country in peace and in war and has left his impress on the pages of our history.

Many of our Presidents suffered great injustice, as well as indignities, from some of our citizens who should have known better and been more patriotic. The greatest Presidents suffered the most. It was Lincoln, Garfield and McKinley who fell victims to the bullet or the dagger of the fanatic or the anarchist. Washington was a victim of the venomous slander of men whose lives were worthless to the nation and whose motives were not patriotic. Lincoln, while he was alive and the nation was in the awful throes of civil war, was bitterly reviled. The attacks of corrupt politicians fired the brain of Guiteau. Partisan malice nerved the hand of Czolgosz.

But years pass and their petty strifes and feuds pass with them. History, clear of brain, takes up the record and writes its story according to due proportion and fact. So Washington, "first in war and first in peace," while alive, becomes at last "first in the hearts of his countrymen" when dead. It is the old story of one generation killing the prophets and the next one erecting monuments to commemorate their virtues. The children of those who most reviled Lincoln are now loudest in his praises. The tongue of the vile or ignorant detractor who heaped contumely on McKinley while he was President is silent now, whether from shame or conviction. At last the calm voice of history is beginning to be heard. History has no personal resentments nor prepossessions, no prejudices nor partisanship, no use for anything but carefully ascertained facts. Taking up the pen to write William McKinley's life and with all the record before her eyes the Muse finds that he was one of the greatest of all our great Presidents, one of the purest of our patriots, one whose life from early years to its untimely and lamentable close was devoted to his country usefully, unselfishly, at the front in time of war, in Congress when great statesmanship was needed, in the President's office when we were engaged in foreign war. The Muse finds him modest, gentle, a close student, one skilled in fiscal and financial affairs, conversant with our industries more than any other except a few could claim to be, a respecter of the laws with the administration of which he was charged. Finally it is recognized that because of the confidence of the world in his integrity, in his ability and wisdom the announcement of his election to the Presidency set all the wheels of industry in motion and brought back prosperity where distress had reigned.

To his detractors President McKinley was "weak." Why? He was statesman enough to respect the Constitution as few men have done. To these detractors McKinley seemed to be influenced by "bad" men. Why? Because he was unconceited, wise and patient enough to listen to the counsel of the foremost business men of the country, to take advice from his own Cabinet, not to dictate to Congress and the courts, and to recognize that the people should have much to say as to all their government does. William McKinley was of the people, and never ceased to recognize that he was only one of the people, the chief servant of all even when President. He knew the people and was convinced of their wisdom, intelligence and patriotism. He never forgot that this is a nation of liberty under law, that men come and go, but that the Constitution and the sentiments of the Declaration of Independence live and will live forever. He held fast to the great principle that he who would command must learn to obey, that he who would enforce law must himself conform to the law.

The admirers of a Jackson, who was a law unto himself, those who regard the greatest dictator as the greatest executive, naturally could not comprehend the greatness of a Constitutional President who kept in mind the reserved rights of the people and the limits set by the Constitution to a President's functions. These could not understand such a President as William McKinley, and hence, in their prejudice, maligned him. But the Muse of history, pure of heart, keen of eye and clear of brain, patiently collates the facts, analyzes the record and understanding it all, measures up the greatness of the man and renders a verdict which will stand.

NEW PUBLICITY PAYSTREAK IS POOR.

"Oh, what a fall was there my countrymen." From telling of a milky-white person having milk baths in a milky-white boudoir the press agent has descended to prima donnas in a barber shop. We blush for the stage press agents of America, the most successful, the most daring and the most unscrupulous in the world. Is the craft degenerating, are its members on a par with the Yarmouths and the Thaws as far as mentality goes, or is it that they are giving their brains a vacation? Fancy the barber shop as a setting for romance, as the stage for stories of our footlight favorites and our great pianoforte punchers. Faugh! It smells of hair oil and the press agent's yarns are dandruffy.

Twice in one month the publicity artists have chosen as the scene for their best efforts the store of the man with the shears and ear-snipping proclivities. First Paderewski was reported to have been in great danger of having his throat cut by a barber who let the razor slip, and now we have the beautifully dressed but sea-foam smelling yarn of Mme. Calvé, "threading her way through sand, rubbish and watery spaces" in Atlanta, entering a barber shop and cutely and carefully "climbing into the chair of the head barber and giving him instructions as to the proper method of trimming her locks." It's not a bad little story but it indicates the barrenness of brains among the present day followers of the profession which Tody Hamilton adorned. The man who helped Barnum fool the public and the newspapers must gaze with sorrow on the scrawny screeds which the younger generation passes out. Hamilton and his friends worked out the old paystreaks and so far their successors have not come across ground which yields rich nuggets.

The press agent is an imitative and receptive gentleman. He is inclined to get into a groove and overdo one particular line. The actress who loses her jewels became a perfect nightmare a decade or so ago. The scheme was worked to death. So with the milk and champagne baths; why, at one time it became sensational for an actress to wash in water. It is to be hoped that the world is not now to be afflicted with a succession of barber-shop banalities. It is bad enough to have the hairdresser breathe giddy gossip into your ear the while he digs the point of his scissors into your neck, but heaven preserve us from revolving chair stories of stage stars concocted by immature strivers after newspaper space amid pure reading matter.

MONEY THEORIES.

We have before us two brochures, setting forth the theories of the two writers on money. We might have 2000 such booklets, setting forth as many variant views.

One of the two writers holds that the government should take all gold and silver bullion, issue certificates on it at market value, and let these be "legal tender" for all purposes.

The other theory outlines clear-cut fiat money, the national government to issue notes as needed, based on public credit, these to be "legal tender" for all purposes.

There are suggestions which merit consideration in both pamphlets, as there are in most of the theories held by writers on the subject.

What we would remark at this time is that both these notions are subversive of the principle on which our financial systems rest. They are particularly revolutionary from the American point of view and most so from that of the Democratic party of past days. The fiat notion is Populistic and distinctly Bryanesque.

By the laws of this country the government is not endowed with power to do any banking whatsoever. To the government is granted the sovereign power of coining money. This money is not coined for government account. The owner of bullion takes it to the mint for coinage, pays the royalty, and takes away his money. By strict construction that limits the functions of the government in relation to coinage. Gold and silver used to be so coined without the government "redeeming" any money.

Then came the war and under stress the government sent out its own notes. They were a loan made by the people to the government without interest. In time they were to be redeemed, and in time they became redeemable. To aid in their circulation these notes were made legal tender excepting in payment of duties, etc. In other words, the government would not accept its own obligations. This action of the government was justified only as a war necessity, and was attacked by all the "peace Democrats" and by many "war Democrats."

Next the government undertook the coinage of silver dollars and made these redeemable in gold. But this was only an extension of the "greenback" idea under stress of the clamor of the "silver" people.

The government issues token money of an intrinsic value much below its face in order that it shall not be melted down. This is a mere convenience and does not involve banking.

All civilized peoples use coin as the basis of their currency. The coining is done by the government in order to fix its fineness according to the standard. But the banking business is left in the hands of the people. In England all notes are bank notes; so in Scotland, Ireland, France, Germany, etc. All the banks are private organizations, under government charter and subject to government supervision.

The fiat money people, who now want the government to issue all notes and do about all the banking, claim to be lineal descendants of the Democrats who broke up the United States banks, who roared about the "greenbacks" on which the war was fought, and who generally held that the best government is the one which lets business most severely alone, limiting its functions to protecting honest men from those who are not honest.

HANDS ACROSS THE ISTHMUS.

"Hands across the sea" is a very good motto in its way, for the reason that it is well to bury old hatreds and animosities whenever there is an opportunity to do so. Certainly, if England wants to be friendly with us, or if any other nation in the world wants to be friendly with us, we must be willing to meet them at least half way. If the Europeans stretch their hands across the sea to hand us an olive branch and a loving cup in place of the time-honored lemon they have been handing us, why, of course, it is for us to be as good-natured about it as they are.

But there is a better thing for the United States to think of than "hands across the sea," and that's hands across the Isthmus. Below that stubborn neck of land which Goethal's steam shovels are now ripping up at a surprisingly fast pace lie our sister republics of South America. They not only hold out to us the hands of love, but also opportunities for trade and commerce, and consequent wealth. They have been doing business with Europe for centuries because we have never taken the trouble to pay any attention to them. They would far rather do business with us. They have always been rich and they are now becoming very progressive. It will not be many years until Brazil and Argentina will rank among the great nations of the world.

If evidence were wanting of the affection in which our sisters of the South hold the United States it has been supplied by the present journey of Fighting Bob's fleet from the Atlantic to the Pacific. The South American republics have gone far out of their way to show their friendship and good-will for us. The ships of Argentina went out to sea to meet our ships, and who will ever forget the memorable reception that was given our sailors in the splendid harbor of Rio? And also have the ships of Chile gone out to sea to meet our fleet, and Chile will also supply a squadron to conduct our Armada through Magellan's Straits. In every way possible are our southern friends showing that they hold us close to their warm hearts.

Therefore let the cry now be "Hands across the Isthmus." Let us look to our own, for, verily, they are our own, those republics that are bound to us by every tradition of freedom. Let Europe take care of her side of the world as best she may, with our blessing. But we shall make good the promise that Elihu Root made when he was in South America, which promise was that as long as grass grows and water runs, the republics of the western hemisphere will live together in love and peace.

THE DANCE BEFORE THE KING.

STREAKS OF HUMOR.

The Truth Came Out.

Tommy (aged 6:) So you're going to marry sister?

Mr. Johnson: Yes, what does your papa say about it?

Tommy: Oh, he said it was better than no match at all.

Careful of Her Reputation.

"Six doses of this medicine," said the druggist, "will make another man of your husband."

"Mercy sakes," she replied, "I don't want it then. You must remember that he is the father of my children."—[Indianapolis Star.

Others Like Him.

"I am glad to see, Freddy, that you are a regular attendant at church."

"Yes, sir."

"What part of the service do you enjoy the most, Freddy?"

"Comin' out, sir."

New Evidence of Meanness.

Lady Visitor: Mr. Hardfist is very rude. He passed me just now without touching his hat, merely nodding.

Waiter (confidentially:) That isn't rudeness, madam. It's because he is that mean he won't even tip his hat.

Still Dissatisfied.

The Cook: You have borrowed my savings, you wear my best hat when you go out, and I've only half enough to eat at that, so I'm going to leave.

Mistress: Why, I told you that we should treat you as a member of the family.—[Translantic Tales.

Needed the Judge's Aid.

"Take the stand," said the court to the railway magnate.

"Thank you, judge," replied the person addressed. "Would you mind sending the bailiff out for a screwdriver. The thing seems to be fastened down."—[Philadelphia Ledger.

Old Things Have Passed.

"How we have changed since the old days!"

"What do you mean?"

"Why, today it isn't half so blessed to give as it is to be a receiver."—[Life.

Carrying the Whole Burden.

"You loved her very much?"

"So much that when her first husband died I married her that I might share her grief and so lessen it."

"And how did it work?"

"Fine. I'm worrier now for his death than she is."—[Houston Post.

HOROSCOPE FOR

For Saturday, February 1, 1908.

Perplexed and troubled cities sees the sun,
And a vexed people ere the month pass by.

This is the thirty-second day of the year, moon's age 29 days, in perigee this night.

The month begins with the sun in Aquarius and the moon in Capricorn. Neptune retrogrades in Cancer and Mercury proceeds into Pisces on the fifth day.

There are threats of serious unrest throughout the United States, reaching violent expression in the Eastern States, and particularly in the city of New York, where there is danger of riots.

Fires and railway accidents are foretold.

Hardship among the poor of many large cities and disturbances in manufacturing towns are in the sign.

A fortunate birth month for those whose birth anniversaries come between now and the 19th day.

Those born then come under the sign of Aquarius, and are likely to inherit an airy, quick, receptive mind and a powerful, high-strung nature, with a decided touch of genius. Music, poetry and painting will appeal to them and they will make a mark in any of the fine arts.

April and August will prove to be their luckiest months. Saturdays are propitious for their enterprises.

Their gems are turquoise, opal and sapphire. The astral colors are blue, green and pink.

This day itself is one of no great certainty. Reserve yourself for the routine duties. Take recreation rather than force doubtful issues.

Baking, dressmaking and shopping are favored today.

"Hidden places will nourish flame" in these twenty-four hours. Beware of matches carelessly dropped in waste baskets and closets.

The woman whose birthdate this is must beware against too much indulgence in social pleasures this year. She will receive an important letter.

The year will be prosperous for the man with his birthdate today.

The girl born today will be captivating and a great favorite with the male sex.

The boy born this day will be steady, persevering and fairly successful in business.

Complaint from the Orchestra.

The Mayor of Merrytown was a kind-hearted soul, and his one great desire was that the little children should enjoy themselves to the top of their bent during their Christmas holidays. Accordingly he arranged a fancy-dress ball, and during the dance there were several amusing incidents. The fat gentleman who played first violin in the orchestra on one occasion ceased fiddling, and glared at a little girl who was in a quadrille set.

"What's the matter with you, Perkins?" bellowed the leader.

"Dropped my resin."

"Well, never mind. Go on playing; you'll get it when this set is done."

"Go on playin' be 'anged!" came the reply. "My resin'll be done afore the set. Queen Elizabeth down there 'as picked it up, broke it in 'alf, and give a bit to 'Amlet, and they're eating it for butter scotch!"—[Tit Bits.

A Wasted Prayer.

The preacher was making his annual call. In the midst of the conversation the small son of the family came running in. His clothes were torn and one of his eyes was blackened.

"Bobby," said the preacher, "you've been fighting again. Your clothes are all torn and you have a black eye. Fighting is very wicked. Come here and let me pray for you."

"Ah, gwan!" was the prompt retort. "Go home and pray for your own kid. He's got two black eyes."—[Harper's Weekly.

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THE OIL INDUSTRY.

JOIN HANDS TO CONTROL WATER

SANTA MARIA OPERATORS AR ACTING IN UNISON.

Early Owners Were Careless in Shutting Off Surface Flow and This Has Now Accumulated in the Sand Deposits and Is Causing Trouble—Is Not Sea Water.

Oil producing companies of the Santa Maria field have formed an association to control the water trouble which are reported to be cutting o production to a certain extent.

Representatives of every producing company in the section met Monday and appointed a committee composed of F. F. Hill of the Union Oil Company, Thomas Hughes of the Western Union, J. F. Goodwin of the Pinal Charles Orr of the Rice Ranch O Company, F. D. Hall, Jr., of the Ha & Hall Oil Company, T. R. Finley o the New Pennsylvania Oil Company and M. Fleischer of the Brookshire Oil Company, to take charge of a the wells showing water and will take steps to control the flow. Said Thomas Hughes yesterday: "In my opinion and in the opinion of the majority o the practical oil men of the district this water is merely the surface water found in every field. In the early drilling operators were careless about shutting off the surface flow, and this has now accumulated in the sand deposits, and is giving us trouble. This water is particularly evident in the section in which the Western Union and Gracioso companies have their lands, but it is not sea water, and the formation is such that sea water never can trouble the field. The committee will at once attend to the wells showing water traces. All that will be necessary to be done in the majority of instances will be to put the casing down further and 'case out' the water flow. The deepest well of the Western Union Oil Company is down 4043 feet, and does not show water in any amount worth worrying over. All our wells are between 3000 and 4000 feet deep.

S. T. Kelsey, Jr., of the firm of Baker & Kelsey, with large interests in the Santa Maria field, states that so far as deep-seated water is concerned, it is confined to the extreme southwestern portion of the field, and is not considered at all serious by practical oil men. "It is reported," said he, "that the Western Union has controlled the flow in two or three of the wells already, and steps are being taken to prevent it spreading. The cause, in my opinion, is that in seeking for a deep-lying oil deposit the companies affected have penetrated below the oil stratum into a stratum of artesian water. One remedy is to stop drilling so deeply. The northern portion of the developed field is entirely unaffected by deep water trouble."

As Mr. Kelsey is interested in the entire field he returned with much news as to developments within the last few months. "The Pinal Oil Company has three wells almost ready to bring in, and three more drilling, and is preparing to drill several more," said he. "The Brookshire company is drilling several new wells, while the Dome has three drilling, and is putting up three new rigs. The Rice Ranch has three producing wells and a fourth in oil, which it anticipates will be a heavy producer, and will be brought in in a few weeks. The Hall & Hall company has two producing wells and a third about ready to bring in, and is preparing to start two more rigs at work. The New Pennsylvania has three producing wells. No. 1, which was cleaned out after the failure of the old company to bring it in, is constantly increasing in production. The company has a fourth well ready to bring in, which is already showing much a gas pressure, sure that it may be impossible to drill it as deep as was first intended. The Coblentz has finished its fishing job, and is getting oil showings. It is preparing to put a new hole down adjoining the east end of the Pennsylvania property.

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THE OIL INDUSTRY.

JOIN HANDS TO CONTROL WATER.

SANTA MARIA OPERATORS ARE ACTING IN UNISON.

Early Owners Were Careless in Shutting Off Surface Flow and This Has Now Accumulated in the Sand Deposits and Is Causing Trouble—Is Not Sea Water.

Oil producing companies of the Santa Maria field have formed an association to control the water troubles which are reported to be cutting off production to a certain extent.

Representatives of every producing company in the section met Monday and appointed a committee composed of F. F. Hill of the Union Oil Company, Thomas Hughes of the Western Union, J. F. Goodwin of the Pinal, Charles Orr of the Rice Ranch Oil Company, F. D. Hall, Jr., of the Hall & Hall Oil Company, T. R. Finley of the New Pennsylvania Oil Company, and M. Fleischer of the Brookshire Oil Company, to take charge of all the wells showing water and will take steps to control the flow. Said Thomas Hughes yesterday: "In my opinion, and in the opinion of the majority of the practical oil men of the district, this water is merely the surface water found in every field. In the early drilling operators were careless about shutting off the surface flow, and this has now accumulated in the sand deposits, and is giving us trouble. This water is particularly evident in the section in which the Western Union and Graciosa companies have their lands, but it is not sea water, and the formation is such that sea water never can trouble the field. The committee will at once attend to the wells showing water traces. All that will be necessary to be done in the majority of instances will be to put the casing down further and 'case out' the water flow. The deepest well of the Western Union Oil Company is down 4043 feet, and does not show water in any amount worth worrying over. All our wells are between 3000 and 4000 feet deep.

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"That is where the poster hurts," he added. "Children see those things and want to be heroes. The youthful mind is very impressionable. Such pictures breed Meskils and Robes. All we can do is to prevent children from purchasing tickets to the show.

"Lurid posters do more towards filling up the reform schools than any other influence I know of. They ought to be prohibited. They suggest crime."

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J. W. Robinson Company
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So. Broadway 235-237-239 So. Hill St. 234-244

One of our windows shows a few of our many distinctively new designs in Spring embroideries.

Infants' Apparel Third Off

This reduction applies to all infants' garments that have become soiled or rumpled,

And there is no question about these price-concessions effecting a thorough clearance before closing time tonight. Included are:

Long skirts of flannel and cambric.
Short sacques and long coats.
Caps and bonnets, slips and dresses.
Buster Brown dresses in 1, 2 and 3 year sizes. On sale in rear of Annex.

Monday's Most Important Sales

Details of which will appear in Sunday's papers

Women's $35 to $150 suits at twenty-five dollars.

75c to $1.50 undermuslins at forty-five cents. And hundreds of high-grade sample undermuslins at a third or more under value.

Staple ribbons priced ridiculously low.
Women's 40c hosiery at 25c.
Women's evening gowns third off.

Some of Today's Specials

Men's $1.25 and $1.50 soft-bosom shirts at seventy-five cents.

Men's $6.50 wool bath robes at $4.

Men's $1.50 to $2.50 wash vests at 50c.

Ten to twenty-dollar trimmed hats at five dollars.

All fancy buttons reduced a third.

Half a dozen staple lines of white wash goods at reductions averaging a third.

Boys' Clothing Third Off

Bonifide reductions of a third on all coat suits, cravenettes and top coats in 8 to 16-year sizes.

$5 garments at $3.35
$7.50 garments at $5.00
$10 garments at $6.65
$15 garments at $10

But this offer is open for today only, mind you.

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Brisk business in men's knitwear, due to the chilly weather of late, has broken lines considerably in certain much-desired weights, so those that are left go out at bargain prices today:

Medium weight wool shirts and drawers; natural color; taped seams; remarkably good values at $1.25 each; now on sale at the special price of, each.....$1.00
Winter weight natural wool ribbed shirts and drawers; well made and good quality; reduced from $1 to.....75c
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REDUCED NIGHT SHIRTS — Heavy muslin night shirts, neatly trimmed; ample in length; regularly 75c, now reduced to 50c
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We're closing out all children's wool dresses and have only sizes for 8 and 10-year-old girls left: They come in pretty navy blue, piped with cardinal; cadet blue; even checks of green and white; plain white or black and mixtures. Sailor, Russian blouse and all other graceful styles. Values from $4 to $8 at exactly half price.

35c Initialed Hdkfs 20c

Even a generous saving on an unwanted article won't appeal as a true bargain: but savings on such year-round staples as linen handkerchiefs must interest every woman:

Because we haven't every initial in any one line of the following sorts (but every one in one style or another) you may choose from initialed poppy corner embroidered designs; initialed forgetmenot corners; initialed all-over checks or plaids; initialed taped border, or initialed plain linen cambric; at 20c each, or half a dozen for a dollar.

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Silk Hose in Delicate Shades.

Light colors for spring gowns call for matching or contrasting shades in one's hosiery. Doubt if you can find hereabouts a stock so complete in the most delicate shadings of silk hose as we've assembled.

Cadet blue is a favorite shade, as well as coral pink, gold color, wine shade and others.

In black silk hose we've a number of different qualities, each the best of their class. An especially good value which we sell for $1.50, cannot be duplicated under $2 elsewhere.

CHILDREN'S HOSE—Children's wool hose of 25c and 35c grade, on special sale at just half price.

Fleece-lined hose of 25c quality, also at half price.

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To the Consuming Public of Los Angeles:

There is no question but that it costs too much to live at today's prices, therefore it is proper for some leading house to take an active interest in lowering the cost of living.

We make this announcement, viz.: that we have entered the campaign of reducing your living expenses, and have taken a space in The Los Angeles Times for the purpose of acquainting the trade with what we can and will do for the consuming public—with a positiveness and certainty that kindles enthusiasm. It is better to make some mistakes in the line of unqualified positiveness (which means figures to you,) than to make greater mistakes by never coming out flat-footed on anything.

We are the leaders in our line, because in 95 per cent. of all our handlings we are the only ones between the producer and the consumer. Our aim has been on quality, quantity and price. We want your patronage, and we will deserve it.

We shall quote you six days in the week in our space in this paper, giving you the lowest possible prices upon the necessities of life, arguing more to take our part—not in the profits—but in the sterling demands of the hour. We must not figure on profits—it is the benefits to the general community that must underlie our motives this year.

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BIBLE LESSONS.

FOR SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OTHER BIBLE STUDENTS.

Prepared for The Times by J. S. Kirtley.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 2.

John iii; 1-21; Jesus the Savior of the World.

THE CONNECTION.

He is still in Jerusalem at the Passover, April, A.D., 27. His miracles and the cleansing of the temple excited the people, but their interest was impulsive, superficial and evanescent. They believed in him in that poor way, but He did not believe in them. He knew they would not dare be true in the face of their angry officials. But here is one of the officials come to talk with Him.

THE LESSON.

I.

Jesus sought by Nicodemus. 1-2.

"There was a man of the Pharisees, named Nicodemus, a ruler of the Jews.

"The same came to Jesus by night, and said unto him, Rabbi, we know that thou art a teacher come from God; for no man can do these miracles that Thou doest, except God be with him."

(1.) Who He was.

Nicodemus was an inquirer, one of the rulers of the Jews who had sent the deputation to John the Baptist inquiring if Christ had come. Those men had respected John's teachings, especially his call to repentance, which was shown in their refusal to be baptised, for it was called the baptism of repentance, and would have been a sign that they had repented. Nicodemus either acted with them in rejecting John's message, or made no protest against it and waited for further light. At any rate, he was to be classed with those "who rejected the counsels of God against themselves, not being baptised with the baptism of John."

(2.) Why he came.

He came because, having seen some of Jesus' miracles and noticed his bearing, he was convinced that at least God had sent him on his mission and that probably He was the Messiah. He had a calm, inquiring, judicial mind that would not reach a conclusion readily, yet persisted in its inquiries till it could reach a conclusion. He was disposed to revise his opinion derived from John the Baptist.

His purpose in coming is not fully set forth in his opening words, for Jesus perceived his state of mind—"for he knew what was in man"—and, interrupting him, began to address that state of mind with the truth it needed. Nicodemus, if left to himself, would probably have talked about Jesus' plan for putting the kingdom of God in possession of the nation and would have offered Him some advice, since the young rabbi from backwoods Galilee could not know the temper of the nation, nor how to proceed, as well as the experienced ruler. He thought that, if this were the Messiah, he would, by inheritance, have a place in His kingdom, and, because of his influence would be able to render special aid in promoting it.

(3.) His temper.

He was honest and unaffected, or he would never have gone to confer with a rabbi so young, nor with one who esteemed the technical wording of a rabbi which Nicodemus and others taught, as of too little importance to obtain, nor with one coming from rude Galilee. He was brave even if he was cautious and somewhat timid, or he would never have gone to see Jesus at all. He was wise, for he chose the very best time to go—at night. He would not go openly, for fear he might bring upon himself the wrath that the officials felt toward Jesus for his indignant condemnation of their abuse of the temple and on account of their own jealousy. As an official his slightest action, as regards Jesus, would be noticed. Still he was sure of his own views of Jesus he cannot precipitate such opposition. Wisely did he come secretly to Jesus.

He might have been a little complacent in conceding so much to Jesus and in saying for himself and others in the city, "We know that thou are a teacher sent from God," and he must have felt entitled to all that Jesus could give, in virtue of his being a "ruler of the Jews." Yet he was an inquirer.

II.

Jesus teaching Nicodemus. 3-15.

"Jesus answered and said unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.

"Nicodemus saith unto him, How can a man be born when he is old? can he enter the second time into his mother's womb and be born?

"Jesus answered, Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God.

"That which is born of the flesh is flesh; and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit.

"Marvel not that I said unto thee, ye must be born again.

"The wind bloweth where it listeth, and thou hearest the sound thereof, but canst not tell whence it cometh, and whither it goeth; so is every one that is born of the Spirit.

"Nicodemus answered and said unto him, how can these things be?

"Jesus answered, and said unto him, art thou a master of Israel, and knowest not these things?

"Verily, verily, I say unto thee, we speak that we do know, and testify that we have seen; and ye receive not our witness.

"If I have told you earthly things, and ye believe not, how shall ye believe, if I tell you of heavenly things?

"And no man hath ascended up to heaven, but he that come down from heaven, even the son of man which is in heaven.

"And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the son of man be lifted up.

"That whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have eternal life."

First. He teaches him about earthly things. (Verses 3-12.)

They were really truth about spiritual and heavenly matters, yet were so well known on earth by those acquainted with the scriptures as to be called "earthly things." In virtue of being a teacher of the scriptures Nicodemus should have known them. Notice some of these "earthly things" that Nicodemus ought to know.

(1.) That the reign of God on earth called "the kingdom of heaven," which John preached, which Christ had promised and the nation had been expecting was not to be an earthly kingdom, with a splendor appealing to human vanity and a power supported by earthly forces, but was to be spiritual, a reign in the spirits of men.

(2.) That to enter and understand and enjoy that reign one must be born again, even if by natural birth he is a Jew, and has become as great a teacher as Nicodemus himself. That birth is from above, but takes place and manifests itself here in earth, and as a teacher Nicodemus should have known it, for the scriptures, and John the Baptist had taught it. Nicodemus and all the rest of the Jews believed that all but Jews needed to be born again.

(3.) That this new birth involves cleansing of the old life as indicated by the word "water" and renewal for a new life, for it is of the "Spirit," the life-giving, renewing Spirit. Baptism was a sign that they had repented and Nicodemus and his fellow Pharisees had refused to repent and therefore to give the sign of repentance.

(4.) That all this is on the principle that like begets like. Spiritual life comes from the life-giving Spirit, as physical life from a physical source. One is in the physical kingdom by physical birth, but in the spiritual by the new birth.

(5.) That the working of the Spirit in giving us the second birth is like the movements of the wind, which follows the laws of its own nature that we can observe but not control, and produces effects easily visible to all.

(6.) That all of this can be submitted to proper tests and fully proven. It is a matter of knowledge with Jesus and His disciples, whom He classes together as "we." They testify to the truth of it and are eye witnesses. Yet Nicodemus and his friends have not received that testimony. That argues that there is something wrong with them. All these things ought to have been known to this ruler, because he had full opportunity to know them.

Much of this talk is called out by the qestion from Nicodemus, if Jesus meant "a second physical birth," a question half in mockery and prompted by pride. So much for the things that are called "earthly" because they were well known on earth already.

Secondly, He now teaches something about "heavenly things" that side of His own nature and mission that stretches away into heaven, waiting to be revealed to Nicodemus, but vitally connected with what the ruler already knows. He discovers a noble nature in Nicodemus to whom he can intrust these heavenly truths. Let us see what they are: (1.) His divinity. He had come down from heaven in His human birth; he had already ascended to heaven in his communion with God, and in His purpose by anticipation in His fellowship and purpose and anticipation He was then in heaven.

(2.) His incarnation, as "the Son of man."

(3.) His redeeming work on the cross. All this was indeed news to "flesh and blood." The picture that He draws of himself is taken from their history. The serpent was lifted up—so shall Christ be; it was in the likeness of the deadly disease and Christ was in the form of the flesh that had stung us, was made sin for us, absorbed in Himself the deadly poison and made it harmless. Disobedient unbelief brought on the trouble and obedient belief was necessary. It was sin against God, and is cured by the mercy of God.

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth on Him should not perish, but have everlasting life. For God sent not the Son into the world to judge the world; but that the world should be saved through Him. He that believeth on Him is not judged; he that believeth not hath been judged already, because he hath not believed on the name of the only begotten Son of God. And this is the judgment, that the light is come into the world, and men loved the darkness rather than the light; for their works were evil. For every one that doeth evil hateth the light, and cometh not to the light, lest his works should be reproved. But he that doeth the truth cometh to the light, that his works may be made manifest that they have been wrought in God."

1. Its source, in the love of God.

2. Its condition, belief in the Son of God.

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

The Holy Spirit is closely associated in Scripture illustrations with water, fire and wind. All three of these are purifying agencies. The new birth is not only an entrance into a new kingdom, but into a kingdom of purity and holy living. The anemone, or "wind flower," is said to become the more beautiful when fanned by the zephyrs, and even when the wind is strong some flowers are at their best. So, lives that yield themselves to the moving of God's Spirit have both beauty and power.—[Pollard.

Man's nature is capable of being born again, and that is its peculiarity; there is in man a dormant or dead capacity which nothing but contact with God, the touch of the Holy Ghost, can vivify and bring into actual exercise. That there should be such a capacity, born as if dead, and needing to be quickened by a higher power before it can live and be of use, need not surprise us. Nature is full of examples of such capacities. All seeds are of this nature, dead until favoring circumstances and soil quicken them into life. In our own body there are similar capacities—capacities which may or may not be quickened into life. These are twice-born, first of their minute insect parents, and then of the sun; if the first comes in place of the sun, they die. There are many things, and great things, man can do without any further divine assistance than that which is lodged for the whole race in the natural laws which make no distinction between the godly things men may do by virtue of his natural birth; but one thing he cannot do—he cannot quicken within himself the capacity to love God and live for Him.—[Dods.

POINTS TO IMPRESS.

(1.) That Jesus is ready to meet any inquirer any hour.

(2.) That He addresses our real needs, whether they are expressed or not.

(3.) That, as we need the new birth, it is inexpressible folly to resist the Holy Spirit.

(4.) That a spiritual life must have a spiritual source.

(5.) That we must learn from Christ, for He alone knows God and man.

(6.) That Christ took the nature in which we sinned and purified it.

(7.) That unbelief separated us from God and belief in Christ unites us to Him again.

Christian Endeavor.

"YOUNG MEN FOR WAR."

Terse Comments on the Uniform Prayer-meeting Topic for Young People's Societies—Christian Endeavor, Baptist Young People's Union, Epworth League, etc.—for February 2, is: "The Real Heart of Christian Endeavor."—[Col. iii, 1-4; 12-25; iv, 1-4. (Christian Endeavor Day Meeting.)

By William T. Ellis.

This meeting marks the twenty-sixth anniversary of the formation of the first Christian Endeavor Society. The occasion may even be called one of general public interest, for this young people's movement in the churches has been undoubtedly one of the vital factors in the life of the present generation. The real power and manifestation of Christian Endeavor has been within the local church, and within the sphere of the individual life. Yet there have been expressions of the Christian Endeavor spirit and discipline which have affected the world at large.

The world has no scales in which to weigh spiritual forces.

Admittedly, results of a definite movement like this cannot be definitely tabulated. The best that can be done is to trace the broad markings of its outstretching influence. And whatever field of moral progress in the world today we may traverse, we there find signs of the presence of this modern uprising of Christian young people. Many of the political reformers who are to the fore today received their training in Christian Endeavor. I was amazed at the large proportion of younger missionaries whom I met on the foreign field who attributed their presence in that place to the influence of Christian Endeavor upon them. Go over the roll of Sunday-school workers, Chautauqua leaders, mission study teachers, and the percentage of them who have come from the ranks of Christian Endeavor and kindred organizations is really astonishing. Find what fault we may with methods of management, the success of the movement is proved by its fruits.

Because Christian Endeavor is "For Christ and the Church" it is most effectively for the world.

"For Christ through the Church" is a true interpretation of the Christian Endeavor motto.

Thou hast rewarded this band of earnest youth,
And hast sustained them till this very hour,
Enlarged their vision of eternal truth,
Increased their wisdom and imbued with power;
The plans which they have brought in faith to Thee,
And honored them in loving ministry!
O for more consecration, that in future days
A larger work may rise on every hand,
That millions more may learn Thy name to praise,
And Calvary's Cross illumine every land,
That all the youth in all the world may know
The secret of the love that stirs us so!

A cause is like a tree; that one lives longest which strikes its roots deepest. Christian Endeavor continues to be an abiding power, because it does not hesitate to appeal to the profoundest sentiments of the human heart. It summons youth to a full, unreserved and active allegiance to Jesus Christ. Nor does it shrink from bringing that greatest of love and greatest of loyalties to bear upon even the slightest actions. That life may be lived, even down to its minor details, "for Christ," is its splendid assumption. So it summons youth into the service of the Savior, and trains him in that service. It pledges him to do "whatever He would like to have me do." With that shining purpose, is it any wonder that the members of these young people's societies have gone high and far in human ministry, in the Name which is their watchword?

Whatever it is promised to do, it is proper to promise to do.

The religion that does not comport with wholesome, normal youthful life is not true religion. Or, to express the more practical side of the proposition, the youthfulness that is not in consonance with sane and genuine religion needs to mend its ways.

The best life is the life lived for the best ends. Christian Endeavor has contributed greatly to the exaltation of the ideals of the world and of the church.

A warm, intense and sufficient motive has been imparted to the lives of myriads of otherwise careless, heedless, drifting youth by this movement, which has often been designated aptly as "The New Crusade." A vista of life's largeness and worthwhileness has been imparted to them. They have been swept into the stream of ardent spirits in pursuit of noble goals. Their vision and their sympathies and their effectiveness have been greatly enhanced. They are more and they do more, because of Christian Endeavor.

Without deep, personal love for Christ on the part of its members, Christian Endeavor possesses the form of godliness, but denies the power thereof.

A few days ago I was talking with the young man in whose brain was born the idea of that tremendous force in present-day Christianity, the Laymen's Missionary Movement. Not only is its conception and its organization due to him, but also, to an unsuspected degree, responsibility for its progress. He has never allowed his real relation to the Laymen's Missionary Movement to become public. In this conversation he recalled our earliest association in Christian Endeavor work, and frankly avowed that if it had not been for Christian Endeavor he probably would not be active in Christian work today. Thus the Laymen's Movement is seen to be a direct outgrowth of the earliest movement among the young people.

NEWS AND NOTES.

The Methodist Episcopal Board of Foreign Missions is asking the church for $1,400,000 this year.

Canadian immigrants are now met at the most important railway points by Young Men's Christian Association secretaries who have been set apart exclusively for this work.

Eight times the number of students in the largest university in North America are enrolled this year in the educational classes of the Young Men's Christian Association.

It is reported that the Roman Catholic laymen of England and Germany have formed a league, the purpose of which is to demand the suppression of the "Index."

After January 1, 1909, there will no longer be an Established Church in Geneva. The national church was established 400 years ago by John Calvin. Now the people have voted to separate church and state.

The international jury in social economy has given its highest award, the Grand Prix, to Charles Stelzle, head of the Department of Church and Labor of the Presbyterian denomination.

A world congress for all branches of the Anglican church will be held in London next June. At a thanksgiving service which it is purposed to hold in St. Paul's Cathedral, it is expected that there will be made not only a great missionary thank-offering in money, but also no less than 500 prepared volunteers for missionary service.

The principal Upanishads, which form a part of the Hindu Vedas, or sacred books, have been translated from the original Sanskrit by a young American who has earned great distinction as a Sanskrit and Hebrew scholar, Robert Ernest Hume. Mr. Hume was born in India, being the son of Rev. R. E. Hume, the famous missionary. Mr. Hume has declined several positions of scholarly honor, and has lately gone to India as a missionary of the American board.

In some parts of South Africa the British government has looked with little favor upon the work of missionaries for the natives. Recently the government of Natal has been in sharp controversy with the mission. Report now comes from Dr. Edward W. Capen, who is making a tour of the mission fields, that the new Governor of Natal shows warm sympathy with the missionaries and is cooperating with them.

CHURCH SERVICES.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1.

ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL, 328 S. Olive st., the Rev. J. J. Whitaker, D.D., dean and rector. Services, 7:30, 9:30 and 11 a.m.; 7:30 p.m.; Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.; Young People's Society, 6:45 p.m. The rector will preach and also make, at the morning service an important announcement. Subject, morning, "The Seed of Light." The Rt. Rev. Dr. Johnson, bishop of Los Angeles, will preach in the evening and administer the Apostolic Rite of Confirmation. All welcome. Here men as men, not as poor men or rich men. The Lord is the maker of them all.

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Simpson Auditorium, 724 S. Hope st. Services Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; sermon from the Christian Science Quarterly. Subject "Love." Children's Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading-rooms, 430-311 Herman W. Hellman Bldg., Spring and Fourth sts., open daily, Sundays excepted, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Figueroa and 20th sts. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank DeWitt Talmage, D.D., at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Subjects: "Christ's Message"; evening, "The Binding Laws of Heredity." Dr. Talmage will fill the pulpit of the South Side's morn and will preach his farewell sermon Sunday morning, Feb. 23.

GRAND AVE. PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF the Nazarene, corner of Grand ave. and Malcolmson st. The Messrs. Shaw, Chapman, B. La Fontaine, pastor. Preaching services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Holiness meeting, 3 p.m.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH, ALVARADO and Pico sts. Arthur S. Phelps, minister. Morning subject, "A Three Years' Cruise"; evening, Night topic, "Coasting."

REV. D. F. HOWE, D.D., PASTOR OF Westlake M. E. Church, will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; evening at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to these services.

THE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN AND Covenanter Church, corner E. 23rd and Hooper ave., services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. P. J. McDonald, pastor.

SECOND UNITED PRESBYTERIAN Church, Washington and Lucas sts. Rev. Henry W. Crabbs, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 22d and Hill. Rev. A. B. Prichard, pastor, preaches at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

PAYS WITH HIS LIFE.

Late Brooklyn Avenue Car Conductor Accused of Criminal Negligence. Condition of Victims.

Criminal negligence on the part of H. S. Carter, conductor of the Brooklyn-avenue car is alleged to have caused the wreck at the Salt Lake crossing Thursday night. This was the conclusion of representatives of the Coroner's office yesterday.

Carter was buried beneath the wreckage and crushed to death. If he was careless he paid for it with his life. Failing to see the approaching freight train he signaled the motorman to go ahead.

The victims of the accident were reported to be in good condition yesterday, with the exception of Mrs. Herman Peters, who is suffering from a severe nervous shock. She came to Los Angeles because of nerve trouble.

CLOSE CALL FOR WORKMEN.

Several workmen employed on the new Central building, now being erected at the corner of Sixth and Main streets, had a narrow escape from injury yesterday afternoon when a section of the staging supporting the tile flooring fell. But an instant before the accident two men were engaged directly under the mass which fell and one of them had hardly moved away when the staging gave way and precipitated several tons of tile to the ground.

Where Important Services Will Be Held Tomorrow

The Independent Church of Christ
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REV. J. S. THOMSON, Pastor.
Sunday service 11 a.m., subject of sermon, "The Distribution of Predictions According to the Gospel." Solo, "Calvary," Mme. Genevra Johnstone Bishop; solo, "O Rest in the Lord," Mrs. George P. Drake.
All are cordially invited, especially strangers.

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Morning service, 11 o'clock, subject, "Lost, Strayed or Stolen—Thousands of Baptists in Los Angeles." Communion and reception of new members at close. Evening, 7:30, the great revival begins. The pastor will preach on "Belshazzar's Feast; or Society's Drunken Carousal." Rev. Stout will sing "The Holy City" and "The Judgment" at evening service. Young People's meeting 6:15 p.m., Sunday-school, senior young women's and young men's Bible classes, 2:30 p.m. All seats free. Everybody welcome.

First United Presbyterian Church
Ninth and Figueroa Sts.
At 11 a.m., the pastor, REV. WILL W. LOGAN, will preach his twelfth anniversary sermon. At 7:30 p.m. the pastor will give a sermon on the "Life of Joseph," illustrated with stereopticon views.
Strangers welcome.

First Humanity's Church
Symphony Hall, 232 South Hill.
DR. FREDERIC BELL, Pastor, will deliver his thrilling lecture Sunday night, Feb. 2, at 8 o'clock on "A Plain, Unvarnished Talk About the Unemployed and Worthy Poor." The doctor will recite the "Wreck of the Royal Hebe," also sing the famous baritone solo, "Cleansing Fires." Silver offering at the door upon entering. Doors open at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

The Los Angeles Fellowship
MRS. BENJAMIN FAY MILLS, permanent minister, will speak in Blanchard Hall, 233 South Broadway, at 11 a.m. on "Every Man a Minister." Special service of welcome to new members. Violin solo by Alfred Walper. All seats free to all.

First Congregational Church
Hope St. between 8th and 9th Sts.
REV. WM. HORACE DAY, D.D., pastor, will preach in the morning on "Fellowship In Service." At 4 o'clock p.m., twilight communion and reception of members. A unique and impressive service. After communion no public evening meeting except Christian Endeavor, 6:30, chapel.

Trinity M. E. Church South
N. W. Cor. Ninth and Grand Ave.
REV. J. J. PRITCHETT, Pastor.
Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. A cordial welcome to all.

First Christian Church
Hope and Eleventh Sts.
REV. A. C. SMITHER, Pastor.
Consecration and Decision Day in Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Sermon by pastor at 11 a.m. Christian Endeavor at 6:15 p.m. Stereopticon lecture with specially fine views on "Amidst the Ruins of Pompeii" at 7:30 p.m. All invited. Male quartette. Seats free.

Immanuel Presbyterian Church
Cor. of Tenth and Figueroa Sts.
REV. HUGH K. WALKER, D.D., Pastor, will preach tomorrow at 11 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m. Subjects: Morning, "The Prophecy of Incompleteness"; evening, "Faithful in a Few Things." Bible class at 9:30, all welcome. Men between 17 and 25 invited to join. C.F.R.C.E. meets at 6:15.

St. John's Episcopal Church
514 W. Adams St. (nr. Figueroa)
REV. LEWIS G. MORRIS, Rector.
SERVICES—7:30 A.M., 11 A.M., 7:30 P.M.
This is a FREE church. Strangers are invited and made welcome. Take Grand-ave. car to Adams st. or yellow University car to Chester Place, walk through Chester Place to Adams st.

Magnolia Avenue Christian Church
W. 25th St. and Magnolia Ave.
JESSE P. McKNIGHT, Pastor.
Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.
Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p.m.
Church services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Morning sermon, "The Temptation of Jesus." Evening sermon, Samson; or The Danger of Dalliance." A cordial welcome for all.

First Lutheran Church
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C. P. Williams, a capitalist, was found dead in bed at his home, No. 1127½ East Forty-ninth street, yesterday afternoon. Every gas jet in the house, and even the gas stove had been burning for twenty-four hours or more, but it is not known whether the old man deliberately sought death or was stricken with heart disease.

Williams is said to own valuable claims in Goldfield. Although 84 years old, he was married a short time ago. His wife had left him.

An inquest will probably be held this afternoon.

Michael Kane, a watchman in the employ of the Illinois Central Railroad at Memphis, Tenn., was shot and probably fatally wounded last night by a negro, whom the officer discovered in the yards of the company, endeavoring, it is believed, to rob the cars.

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CHAPTER XX.

Throughout the winter the work went on—with little success. Jack was indeed putting his back into it; admitted now fully to the confidence of his employer, he could render himself far more useful than hitherto. As he had said, Mr. Crunden's ship was certainly not sinking; but the order had been given to "shorten sail." That is always a wise order when there is doubtful weather about; but no one need take alarm when it is heard. It is not, for instance, such an order as "all hands to the pumps." When that comes through the speaking trumpet even the rats may be excused for feeling nervous. Mr. Crunden, then, as a precautionary measure, was trying to close the yard. All the cottages were finished; he was keeping only the smallest possible staff for the completion of the last and innermost of the decoy houses. When that was done, the gates beneath the old archway would be shut and padlocked—unless dirty Stevens, the dairyman, cared to come back as tenant.

Meanwhile, with less to do at the yard in practical work, Jack threw himself upon the financial and purely business side of affairs. He went here and there about the country, seeking substantial adventurers and flouting men of straw; he had devised plans for obtaining publicity on the cheapest terms—advertising boardings to be erected, space let to cover cost, other space exchanged for Crunden's advertisements all over England; he had composed a pamphlet—printed by Mr. Moses—describing the charms and amenities of Medford, and the unbuilt-on paradise offered to the world by Crunden; he had important interviews every day, and as Crunden's representative opened negotiations for mortgages with a dozen London firms, and enticed particulars of ground rents and leaseholds for sale on the books of a hundred agents. In all directions—at home and abroad—he displayed an unparalleled energy which was recognised and admired by his employer. Never was man better served by a clerk for twenty shillings a week and his food.

Sometimes old Crunden thought of it—and of how sorely he would have missed his clerk. For one thing, he was so cheerful—kept one in heart. Courage and hope came from him in every dark hour. And dark hours were many in this long winter.

Mrs. Price, when she heard that there was, after all, to be no change of clerks, had uttered the liveliest protestations of pleasure. She hastened to obtain from her master a confirmation of the good news.

"And I'm sorry, sir, that I spoke rude. I could have bit my tongue off afterward for what I said—but at the time I didn't think I knew what I was saying."

"Don't mention it," said Crunden. "I understand what lay behind any remarks you let fall," and he gave a grunt. "You're uncommonly fond of—Mr. Jack?"

"Of course I am," said Mrs. Price. "Who could help being fond of him?"

Not Mr. Crunden. He had tried hard to help it—and had failed. This young man's voice was music, his smile sunshine to him. Absurd, ridiculous! Old Crunden struggled valiantly against yielding to such preposterous sentiments—as if to yield had been a base weakness. It had seemed to him like the evil spell of the Hill itself—now ruined, broken and trampled down—rising again to enthrall one's mind and confuse one's senses. Do what you would to the lord of the Hill, he could bring you to his feet—force you to bow before him as hereditary immemorial overlord. By playing with the snobbish cravings that lurk in even the stoutest breast, he could twist one to the bended knee. With condescending manner and flattering assumption of graciousness, he could persuade you to renounce your right to be grim and stern and harsh to him.

No, it was not that. Crunden cared nothing for the condescension harped upon by Dowling. He was fond of Jack, now, as forty-three years ago in the builder's yard where his father had sent him to learn the trade, he had been fond of his mate—the good, strong mate with whom he worked shoulder to shoulder, who could whistle and smile and clap you on the back, and make the roughest job seem smooth and easy because you were doing it with him. This young man was like that. And he thought of all the words that were sweet as music. "As between good pals." And the solid truth behind the pleasant sound—words proved true now by deeds. His pal would not leave him in the lurch—would stay with him against self-interest; deaf to the chink of gold, blind to the prospect of ease, his pal must stand by him though all the world were beckoning.

As between good pals. Perhaps, Crunden thought, in all his young life he had never been understood so well as by his good pal, Jack. His rough outer case seemed no barrier, his coarse bristles struck no fear—to Jack; to all the careless crowd, a hedgehog; but to Jack, a pal. Wonderful to think of—with gratitude welling warm from the heart beneath the hedgehog's ugly coat.

And he thought of the historic fight on Guy Fawkes's Day—had thought of it quite as often as Mrs. Price, though he never by any chance spoke of it. And why? He couldn't trust himself to speak. Might let fall with his remarks something else—a few tears. It had happened in solitary thought; sudden moisture in the eyes, demanding grunts and bandana. Can a hedgehog weep? Thinking of it now, as he tramped across his empty fields, he brought a clenched fist, with a loud smack, into the horny palm of his other hand. "Take that," he growled, "and that—and that!" That'll teach you to mock my pal for a hedgehog."

A son could not have done more for a loved father. Jack was what he would have wished his own son to be—in all things. And he thought of the great Sir John, and envied him, intensely envied him; not for the rank, the prestige, the respect of bowing men, which even poverty could not take, and, in fact, had not really taken from him—but for the son who had called him father.

Lizzie, too, was grateful to Jack for sticking to the ship. Although Jack's presence or absence was now, of course—as with firmness, even with defiance, she had asserted—indifferent to her personally, she, nevertheless, felt immensely grateful to Jack for his fidelity to her father. It was a fine trait—something calling for candid acknowledgment as worthy and solid. Candidly acknowledging merit, wherever met with, she took occasion to thank Mr. Vincent—on her father's behalf. Without hurry, in due season when the opportunity came, she shyly thanked him.

"Oh, it's nothing, Miss Lizzie. Nothing to thank me for. It's I who ought to thank your father. He has done everything for me. I was a dreamer, and I am awake. . . . Of course I couldn't go—after what he had said."

While he talked, he was fumbling in a drawer of his table, and presently he brought out a small parcel and began to unpack it.

"I never wanted to go. Only I thought I ought to go—but never wanted to, really. . . . Miss Lizzie, it's such a rotten little thing—that I hardly like—hardly dare, don't you know—to ask you to accept it;" and, tearing off the last paper wrapper, he disclosed and opened a cardboard box. "But I wish you would. Seems silly to throw it away—and silly to ask you to take such a rotten little thing."

Then with considerable diffidence he offered Lizzie the plain gold bangle out of the box.

"I bought it, you knew, when I thought I was going away and perhaps might never see you again. Just a souvenir—you know. When I say good-by to people—I always want to think they'll remember me."

"It is too kind of you. But really I—"

"When I wasn't going, I thought I'd throw it away—but that seems so silly. I got Osborn to engrave it inside—you'll see, if you look. Hill Rise—and the two dates—while I was here, don't you know. Rotten little thing."

"No, I think it's very pretty."

"It's quite the worst bangle I ever bought—but it's paid for;" and he smiled. "I used to tick things, you know. I don't now. Couldn't get tick if I asked for it, I suppose. In the old days I bought quite different bangles—pretty colored stones—and all that."

"Oh, this is nicer, as it is."

"Is it? Don't chaff, Miss Lizzie. But I didn't want to get anything better, really—just a souvenir—no value—because you are quite different to the other people, and your father wouldn't have liked it—with the stones. I knew you wouldn't take it if it was worth anything. There it is—three-carat gold, I should think—no value. . . . You will take it, won't you?"

"Yes," said Lizzie. "Thank you very much, Mr. Vincent."

"Thank you, Miss Lizzie," said Jack, beaming. "I did want you to take it—just to show that you feel kindly disposed to me, now."

"Of course I do—very, very grateful to you, as I said. You must know that, Mr. Vincent."

Jack laughed contentedly.

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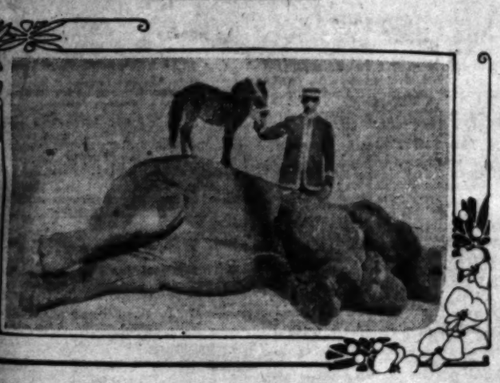
ON THE TRAPEZE.

BRICK "BIG TOP" GETS BUSY THIS AFTERNOON.



The littlest horse (Sunday) on the biggest elephant (Mamma) at Dick Ferris's circus.

FINAL preparations for Dick Ferris's indoor circus were made yesterday in the renovated building at Fourth and Hill streets.

As the carpenters plied their final vocation several clowns took the ring, and the acrialists fixed their trapezes and other paraphernalia to the stout stanchions overhead. Over in one corner the newly-organized circus band rent the air with its busy rehearsal. In the main entrance six huge elephants swung to and fro in a slow rhythm on their massive legs, or chewed such tidbits as the attaches threw them. The baby tigers slept in a corner, and in a distant cage two big lions paced majestically up and down.

The menagerie has several attractions for the children, notably the den of baby tigers, scarcely larger than common house cats; a tiny horse which is only twenty-seven inches in height; lions, camels, elephants, antelope, elk, and other strange animals of the jungle, mountain or desert.

Mr. Ferris has had agents up the Coast looking for ring novelties the past week, and several of these have already been engaged. Among those who will be on hand for the opening bill are the Aherns, European novelty equilibrists and acrobats.

The elephants, under Herr Chris Zeitz, also have their own "stunt," which is said to be one of the finest animal performances in the circus business in this country.

All the frills of the typical circus will be at hand, and the atmosphere of the arena will be thoroughly preserved. Peanuts and popcorn, pink lemonade and candy will be dispensed, and the merry-go-round and other attractions on the side lot will be seen as usual.

There will be no side show, however, as the various money-under-false-pretenses freaks have one and all been refused a place on the grounds.

The circus bill contains the somewhat unusual total of sixteen complete acts, and, commencing today, there will be morning and evening performances. The seats, finally in place, total 1200.

Stock of the People's Store Santa Paula at 55c on the $

Women's $1.25 Fancy Collars at 69c

Silk and chiffon stock collars in all the soft and dainty shades; nicely trimmed with lace, braid, medallions and ribbons, edged with chiffon. $1.00 and $1.25 values at 69c.

The Fifth Street Store — "Something Doing" — Standard Pattern — Broadway — Cor. Fifth St.

$1.49 Teddy Bears at 69c

Sale Saturday of 15-in. Teddy bears; movable joints; made of fine quality bear cloth. Regular $1.49 bears a feature, fourth floor, at 69c. Less than half price.

Sat. for Veilings, Neckwear

$1.25 Embroidered Veiling at 69c

Veiling day Saturday is a regular feature at the Fifth Street Store. The offerings this week will appeal to every woman who desires the newest ideas in veils. Sale of regular $1.25 quality of soft chiffon veiling, beautifully embroidered in the latest designs, at 69c.

75c Chiffon Veiling . . 42c

New shades in chiffon veiling, in plain or crepe effects; a quality that retails regular for 75c. Specially priced for veiling day, Saturday, at 42c yard. Main floor.

50c Women's Neckwear . . 15c

Silk chiffon and linen stock collars in all the most popular shades; trimmed with bows, lace or ribbon; with and without tabs; handsome effects in dainty neckwear. 35c and 50c values at 15c.

Fascinating New Waists

Sale of $1.50 Values at 89c

Saturday's offering of waists is one that will be accorded liberal patronage by discerning buyers; attractive styles in lace and embroidery trimmed lawn waists; long or short sleeves; open back or front. Waists worth regular to $1.50 on sale at 89c.

75c Drawers and Corset Covers . . 39c

Fine, soft finished muslin drawers and corset covers; plain tucked and hemstitched or beautifully trimmed styles; all sizes; garments worth regular 75c. Rare bargains Saturday on sale at 39c.

$2.50 Lawn Waists . . . $1.39

Beautiful new spring styles in lawn, batiste and mull waists; plain tailored or elaborately trimmed effects. Waists that retail regular for $2.50 specially priced Saturday at $1.39.

Sale Coats and Dresses

For Misses and Children

$2.75 Dresses $1.48

Attractive dresses for misses and children at 55c on the dollar. New styles in all-wool serge, cashmere, novelty worsted and fine wash gingham; beautifully trimmed; all sizes. $2.75 dresses at $1.48.

All Coats at 1-2

Saturday we offer our complete line of misses' and children's coats at half price; all clean stock, the season's leading styles, in fancy wool cloakings and broadcloth; well tailored and variously trimmed; all on sale at half price. $5.00 coats $2.50, $10.00 coats $5.00, $7.50 coats $3.75, $12.50 coats $6.25.

$1.00 Sailors at 25c

Children's roll brim sailors; stitched felt and patent leather bands; crowne trimmed with streamers, bows of gros grain ribbon; popular colors. $1 sailors at 25c.

15c and 20c Fancy Socks 10c

10c each or 3 for 25c Saturday for men's regular 15c and 20c seamless fancy hose; sizes 10, 10½, 11 and 11½.

$1.00 Night Gowns . . 69c

Men's heavy outing flannel gowns, in desirable patterns and colors; with or without collar; full cut; regular $1.00 value 69c.

Men's 50c Underwear 25c

Fleece lined shirts and drawers, in ecru, tan and salmon colors; a fine quality well made, durable garments, not all sizes in each color; regular 50c underwear, on sale while it lasts at 25c.

29c Boys' Blouse Waists . 12½c

Fine quality boys' chambray blouse waists in desirable patterns; sizes 2, 4, 5, 6 and 7 years; regular 29c value at 12½c.

Offering of New Skirts

At Remarkable Prices Saturday

$7.50 Skirts at $4.98

New models in Sicilian, Panama and all wool mixtures; gored and plain styles, trimmed with wide bias folds; all the popular colors in a line of walking skirts that are correct in every detail. Regular $7.50 values priced Saturday at $4.98.

$3.50 Petticoats $1.98

Women's heatherbloom petticoats; cut full; made with deep flounces, tucked, shirred or plaited; regular $3.50 petticoats. Sale price Saturday $1.98.

$20 Tourist Coats $9.98

Half price Saturday for women's stylish long coats, in tan covert and fancy wool mixtures, checks and plaids; fitted and semi-fitted; variously trimmed $20.00 coats at $9.98.

PUBLIC SERVICE.

(Continued From Second Page.)

the husband and not to Mrs. Rees's children, because the testator felt the former would use the property for the latter's best interests. Mrs. Rees left three children by her first marriage and five by her second marriage.

Beside technical law points advanced, the demurrer and answer of Rees to the contestants' petition was a denial of charges that his wife, who could not read or write, was in an infirm mental condition long before her death, and that he falsely told her that the will to which she affixed her mark, provided explicitly for bequests to her children and that they were named in the will.

CAR STARTED.

WOMAN CHARGES NEGLIGENCE.

Mrs. Margaret E. Stewart's $5095 damage suit against the Los Angeles Railway Company came to trial before a jury in Judge Hutton's court yesterday.

She testified that as she was alighting from a car on South Figueroa street, near Pico, August 6 last, the motorman negligently started the car before she safely reached the street, and she fell, receiving a shock and internal injuries that she believes are permanent and incurable.

Testimony tending to establish the negligence of the railway employés was introduced, and the cross-examination was directed to show that Mrs. Stewart did not exercise due care in alighting.

THEY GIVE BAIL.

TWO MEN'S TRIALS ARE SET.

William B. Chaney, indicted by the grand jury for alleged complicity in the election frauds at Ocean Park last September, was arraigned before Judge Conrey yesterday morning and pleaded not guilty. James B. Morley and Geo. R. Bentel were accepted as sureties on his $3000 bond and he was released from custody pending his trial, which was set for March 18.

Former Deputy Coroner Clyde M. Sage was also arraigned yesterday morning before Judge Conrey, but at the request of his counsel, who desired to examine the papers in the case, his time for pleading to the two grand jury indictments was postponed until February 4 at 10 o'clock. Jeannette Sage, J. A. MacLeod, and D. M. Leary qualified on one of his $5000 bonds, while Frank Moir and Walter Harris went on the second. Sage was then released from custody.

WITNESSED WILL.

TELL HOW IT WAS SIGNED.

Testimony by Mrs. Isabelle Strong and L. L. Vogel as to the circumstances under which W. D. Carithers signed his August will in their presence and how they witnessed it together with the admission by the court of Carithers's will of May, 1906, by which he divided his property among all his relatives, were features of the contest yesterday in Judge Bordwell's court.

"Mr. Carithers told me he was satisfied with the will and wished me to witness it," said Vogel. "I asked him if he was sure it expressed his desires and he said it did. He seemed to me to be mentally competent, or I would not have witnessed the document."

Mr. Vogel said that he was unprejudiced.

"For three days before Mr. Carithers made his August will he had been tapering off on his use of whisky," said Mrs. Isabelle Strong. "I was at the house at the invitation of his wife, who is an old friend of mine. He told me to summon Mr. Vogel, to witness his will and I affixed my signature at his request. He was in the full possession of his mental faculties and for three days after he was cheerful and bright and did not begin to drink heavily again until the Tuesday following."

At the morning session, Attorney Lynn Helm, who drew both the May and the August wills, said he did not know Carithers was addicted to liquor until he called at his home the night the last will was made. He admitted that the name Carithers was misspelled in both the body and signature of the last will, and said that unless he had seen Carithers sign his name he would not have recognized as his the signature to the August document. He reiterated his belief that Carithers was mentally competent when he made his last testament.

Helm, Vogel, and Mrs. Strong were decided in their testimony in favor of the August will, nor did the persistent cross-examination of the contestants' counsel weaken their testimony in essentials, though it raised doubts as to Carithers's mental condition.

By his May will the widow was left $10,000 worth of his estate, while the rest was bequeathed to Illinois relatives, his nephew, W. L. Hipsley getting $5000, Mrs. Mary Hipsley $5000, and the remainder being divided among other relatives and various friends. This May will was typewritten and signed in the dead man's normal handwriting.

ORDER REFUSED.

BROKER LOSES FIRST ACTION.

F. C. Wilkins yesterday afternoon failed to secure from Judge Conrey a temporary order restraining Chief of Police Kerns, Prosecuting Attorney E. J. Fleming, Dist.-Atty. Fredericks, and city authorities from raiding his brokerage establishment. Wilkins will now have to await the determination in regular course of his suit for a permanent injunction to prevent interference with his business, and $10,000 damages.

For purposes of argument, the constitutionality of the city ordinance against bucket shops was admitted by Wilkins' counsel. Thomas K. Kase, in the course of his three hours' argument. Kase attempted to raise a distinction between the legality of methods of procedure by search warrants and seizures in cases like Wilkins's, but his view was not accepted by the court.

Deputy District Attorney G. Ray Horton appeared for the District Attorney, while Deputy City Prosecutor Guy Eddie also took part in the argument. Judge Conrey overruled their demurrers based on technical legal grounds, but upheld their contentions on the main issue.

HIS FELONY CIGARETTE.

TOBACCO SACK HELD MONEY.

Hankering after a cigarette led to the trial before Judge Smith and a jury yesterday in the Superior Court of C. A. Wriggins on a charge of grand larceny for stealing from the pocket of John L. Hawkins, a rancher who was in Los Angeles for a good time, of $6.70 in currency and $5 in scrip, on December 6, last.

It all happened in a saloon in "Hobo's Paradise," at First and Los Angeles streets. Hawkins, Wriggins and a number of others were in there drinking and Hawkins was drunk, according to the witnesses yesterday, and Wriggins every time he wanted a cigarette reached into the pocket of Hawkins and got his tobacco. Suddenly the colored bouncer saw Wriggins take a sack of tobacco out of the pocket of the rancher and start for the door. He stopped him and found the sack contained the money. A policeman was called and Wriggins was arrested.

Yesterday Wriggins, in his defense, stated that he reached for the tobacco as usual and thought he had it and only started for the door to see if the street car Hawkins was waiting for was in sight. The jury went out early in the afternoon, but at a late hour last evening had been unable to agree upon a verdict. It was reported that they stood eleven to one for conviction.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

SUES CITY. The Metropolitan Contracting Company yesterday filed suit in the Superior Court to recover $4083, allegedly due from the city for services rendered in November, 1906, in connection with street sprinkling.

CHARGES SLANDER. Asking $10,000 for alleged slanderous utterances by Peter Hayes of Sawtelle, Mrs. L. A. Geary, a laundrywoman of Sawtelle, yesterday filed suit in the Superior Court. She says he repeatedly importuned her to live with him as his housekeeper or wife, and when at her home, No. 140 North Second street, January 27, she refused his offers and showed him the door, he cursed her in the presence of witnesses, and made charges against her chastity.

FATHER SUES. W. B. Welch, as guardian for his daughter, Nanon, yesterday filed in the Superior Court a $1750 damage suit against H. Newmark, for alleged damages sustained by his daughter, September 2 last, at Figueroa and Fifteenth streets, when the girl was injured by Newmark's automobile.

FIGHTS TAX. Alleging that the county franchise tax is illegal, the Rice Ranch Oil Company yesterday filed suit in the Superior Court against Los Angeles County to recover $2163, tax paid under protest in August upon its franchise, valued by the Assessor at $206,055.

ASKS RELEASE. Asking to be absolved from a lease, with $2000 damages, the Marshall & Stearns Co. yesterday filed in the Superior Court a suit against the Parmelee-Dohrman Co., in whose building it was located until January 30. The company alleges it was obliged to move because the terms of its five-year lease were not complied with by the owners.

ASKS PROBATE. Thomas W. Williams, executor under the will of John Roberts, who died December 7 at Long Beach, leaving a $6000 estate to children and his widow, yesterday filed the will for probate in the Superior Court.

AS GUARDIAN. As her three minor children have a $6000 estate which requires legal administration, Mrs. Louise Freytag yesterday filed in the Superior Court a petition to be appointed their guardian.

NEEDS CARE. Mrs. Mary M. Harmon, Pasadena, yesterday filed in the Superior Court a petition that she be appointed guardian of her brother, Ezra S. Hover, alleged to be suffering from senile debility. He has a small estate.

FILES WILL. Miss Minnie Hubbard and J. G. Burt, executors under the will of J. Q. A. Hubbard, who died at Pasadena, January 17, leaving his $40,000 estate to his children, yesterday filed the will in the Superior Court for probate.

GRANTED PROBATION. Because of his previous good record, Elmer Stangland, 18 years old, who pleaded guilty in Judge Smith's court yesterday to burglary in the first degree for having entered the Advance Drug Store, West Seventh and Figueroa streets, January 11, was placed on probation for two years. His mother was allowed to take him to Oakland.

CHARGE DISMISSED. By request of the District Attorney, Judge Smith yesterday dismissed a felony charge of selling land twice, preferred against L. A. Pratt by Silvanus White, as it appeared that a mortgage and not a deed had been given by Pratt in the transaction complained of.

IS REMANDED. The writ of habeas corpus in the case of Charles Lauson, arrested by Patrolman J. R. Rich, January 30, on a charge of passing a fraudulent check, was dismissed by Judge Smith yesterday, and Lauson was remanded to the custody of Chief Kerns.

GETS TWO YEARS. George Carr, who admitted stealing fifty-two pairs of shoes from a Santa Fé freight car, December 18, was yesterday sentenced by Judge Wilbur to two years in San Quentin.

SUES BONDSMEN. Alleging that E. K. Stout, a former employé, is indebted to the concern for $622, the Sanitary Laundry Company yesterday filed suit in the Superior Court against Stout, L. E. Stout and J. Crites, the two latter being included in the suit because they went on the former's $500 bond when he was employed by the company.

Liquidation of the State National Bank of New Orleans was decided upon yesterday by a vote of the stockholders. This bank is nearly a hundred years old.

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GUESTS MANY IN PASADENA.

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Forty-eight Automobiles of the Expensive Types in the Garage of One of the Hostelries and Belonging to Visitors—Seeking to Secure Glass Plant.

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PASADENA, Feb. 1.—That the social season has opened with a swing and swerve that fulfills all the predictions made last fall and in the early winter is shown by the condition of the hotels. The Maryland has on one or two occasions sent its guests to other hotels. The Green is practically full, and this means more than an ordinary item, as the Green today is the largest hotel open in the State of California. The Raymond is reaching its capacity and its lobbies are full and the expectation of the arrival of Count and Countess Szechnyi on February 22 as guests for a lengthy sojourn is attracting considerable attention. Crosby S. Noyes, veteran editor of the Washington Evening Star and a globe trotter of note, is among the guests. At the Maryland the arrival of W. J. Hogan and Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Hogan is treated as a great event. Col. Hogan is one of the most persistent friends of Southern California in the whole country and he was never without a coterie of sympathizing friends and admirers during his quiet tours of the lobby last night. He was greeted at the depot by Henry I. Beers of Oil City, Pa., and N. P. Bowler of Cleveland, and the coterie of "boys" had a glad reunion.

Probably an item that points more than anything else to the successful issue of the present season is that in the garage of the Hotel Green are now forty-eight automobiles of the expensive types. This is a material and vulgar presentation of prosperity in a certain esthetic sense, but it is convincing. Taking some of these equipages at random there are E. V. Price of Chicago with a big Mercedes, G. A. Deitewig of Peoria with a Renault, John D. Ross of Chicago with a six-cylinder Pierce Arrow, Mrs. Aretemus Lamb, Clinton, Iowa, with a Renault; Frank M. Hutchison, Jr., Sewickley, Pa., Pope Toledo; Mrs. J. K. Stewart, Chicago, Peerless; George L. Babcock, New York, six-cylinder Peerless; Maj. Charles C. Winship, Welch; L. B. French, Portland, Or., Royal; I. Clark Seamans, Ilion, N. Y., White steamer; C. M. Bidwell, Pittsburgh, Pierce Arrow; George Watson, New York, Mercedes runabout; George C. Hixon, Chicago, Wands electric, and Robert Neustadt, with a 100-horse-power Duroque.

It is not alone in the number of superb motor cars that the season excels, but in the character of the guests. For instance, at the Maryland is that quaint, old gentleman, N. P. Bowler, who, in 1849, and until 1853, was market reporter on the Cleveland Plain Dealer. He can tell many racy experiences of the days when newspapers got their reports by sending each a reporter to the telegraph offices. There the operator translated the Morse code as it ran over the key, and the boys took the stuff down in long hand as he sang it out. He is a guardian friend of Petroleum V. Nasby and Artemus Ward, and he meets his fellow-guest, Gen. C. J. Langdon of Elmira, brother-in-law of Mark Twain, and either can keep the lobby interested with their tales of old times and their old associations. Again at the Green are such men as Simon Mendell, a great merchant of Chicago, and John W. Taylor of Kansas City. It is stated by those who are best able to know, that never before has the season opened and the hotels filled up so early, and so many interesting things were afoot. Sunday night Mrs. Hixon of Chicago will give a recital at the Green. Last night the musicale at the Maryland was of exceptionally excellent character.

AFTER GLASS PLANT.

Strong efforts are being made by E. J. Bartenneau, secretary of the Board of Trade, to induce John J. Sommans of New Jersey to locate his plant for cutting glass, in this city. Mr. Sommans was twenty-five high-class workmen in his employ. His health requires a change of climate. He says he could as easily produce his ware here as in New Jersey.

CITY WILL SAVE MONEY.

It was decided at the adjourned session of the Council, this morning, to abandon the present plan of street sprinkling. Henshaw Bulkley & Co. of Los Angeles will furnish ten 600-gallon wagons to the city at a cost of $3746.25, and A. F. Charles and Henry D. Post will furnish the men and horses for the wagons. The city expects to make a saving of about $1000 a year.

An invitation that Pasadena join the League of American Municipalities was referred to the Mayor. This league is in its eleventh year.

CONCERT AT BAPTIST CHURCH.

The singing of dainty Annie Row, 12 years old, was the feature of the concert at the Baptist Church. Rev. Albert Hatcher Smith was recalled twice for his readings. Miss Row gave the "Rosary" and "An Every Day Dolly," and then responded to an encore with "When Song is Sweet." Miss Floy Row played the accompaniment. The Y.M.C.A. Mandolin and Guitar Club and the High School Octette, both from Los Angeles, won merited applause. Miss Pauline Alber, soprano; Mrs. Elizabeth A. Fonda, contralto, and W. L. Jones, tenor, also took part.

MRS. LOCKWOOD HOSTESS.

Mrs. H. N. Lockwood of St. John avenue was the hostess, yesterday afternoon, at one of the largest receptions of the season. The floral decorations were unusually elaborate. In the living-room poinsettias were used with quantities of green, and the library was bright with Lawson pinks, relieved by asparagus plumosus. In the dining-room there was a color scheme of violet and pale yellow.

Mrs. Lockwood was assisted in receiving by her sister, Miss Ingersoll of St. Paul, and Mrs. Joseph Banning of Los Angeles. Other unbonneted women were Mmes. B. M. Wotkyns, Walter L. Wotkyns, Charles Lee, F. L. Brown, Myron Hunt, Fontleroy, Henry B. Stehman, Thaddeus Jones and Miss Grace Wotkyns. Misses Marion Brown and Lockwood presided over the punch bowl. An orchestra furnished music between 3 o'clock and 6, when more than 100 guests were entertained.

Mrs. La Motte Holmes and daughter, Mrs. William Bishop Thompkins, gave a violet luncheon, yesterday, at their home on Madeline Drive for Mrs. Willard Fales of Denver.

The funeral parlors of William H. Pierce & Co. are now open and ready for business. It is one of the finest and most completely equipped on the Coast.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo. Furnished bungalows (unexpectedly vacated,) with board.

Pictures framed at Wadsworth's.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.

DRY THERE, TOO?

Movement in Ocean Park City to Have Liquor Question Go to the Voters.

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 31.—Encouraged by the apparent success of the No-Saloon League in Santa Monica, in its fight to force the election on the proposed prohibition ordinance under the initiative feature of the new freeholder charter, the temperance element of this city is about to enlist supporters for a similar campaign in this city. However, as Ocean Park has no initiative the matter here will have to be taken before the City Trustees upon petition of the electors, after which the expression of the people will be taken at the polls.

Since the campaign was started in Santa Monica, there have been several conferences between the no-saloon advocates of this city and petitions are now being prepared, and will be ready for circulation within a few days. These embody a request to the Trustees to submit the liquor question to the qualified electors at the next general election. As this election comes in April, it is believed the petitions will be ready with the desired number of signatures, so that the effort to make the town "dry" can be attempted without extra expense at the same election on which the city officers are chosen.

OCEAN PARK POINTS.

Allen Fanjoy is here from New York City, visiting with relatives. He is en route to Magdalena Bay, where he has a commission to photograph the Atlantic squadron in target practice.

Jacob Evans is a visitor here from Provo, Utah, a guest of his brother David, and will remain through the spring months.

Murray Steele is sick at the Santa Monica Bay Hospital, suffering from la grippe and tonsilitis.

The Five Hundred Club is preparing to celebrate its first anniversary on Monday afternoon next, with a lively session at the ship Cabrillo.

It is stated that an application is to be made for the establishment of the free delivery system here. The postoffice receipts are in excess of the required $10,000 per annum.

Capt. A. A. Fries of the United States Engineering Corps gives notice that maps are on exhibition in his office at Los Angeles, and that until February 5 he will hear objections to the application of the City Trustees for permission to erect three wingdams, or jetties, along the ocean front of Short Line Beach. These are the improvements recommended by the City Engineer for the protection of the ocean front lots from the inroads of the ocean.

The contract for hauling the city's garbage during the ensuing year has been let to A. Bernathy for $2040.

Spend rainy days at Coronado.

POULTRY BODY ORGANIZES.

Association in Interest of Raising of Feathered Creatures Formed in Pomona.

POMONA, Jan. 31.—The Pomona Valley Poultry Association was regularly organized last evening at a meeting held at the Pomona Poultry Supply Company's office by electing H. Friedman president; E. T. Mills, Lordsburg, and Robert Taylor, vice-presidents; C. C. McKey, secretary, and Mrs. C. H. Vary, treasurer. A committee, consisting of Messrs. E. W. Meacham, Ward Corwin, C. P. Curran and C. C. McKey, was appointed to prepare a set of bylaws to govern the conduct of the association, which already has about twenty-five members. Meetings will be held monthly, and it is the plan to have papers read and lectures delivered at these sessions by competent local and visiting poultry raisers, relative to the betterment generally of the poultry business. Since the recent prize-poultry show held here there has been much more interest manifested in the intelligent raising of poultry.

POMONA POINTS.

Grand Lecturer Thomas A. Baker of the Masonic Grand Lodge of this State paid Pomona Lodge, F. and A. M., an official visit last night, and conducted a school of instruction.

The funeral of G. Otis will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the ranch home near Alexander avenue.

C. L. Northcraft has left on a trip into old Mexico. He will be joined later by R. C. Steele.

Mrs. H. J. Owens of Los Angeles has been visiting friends here for the past few days.

The local lodge of Elks now has a membership of 243, about 100 new members having joined in the past twelve months.

Much sunshine at Coronado.

BURGLARS ENTER DEPOT.

WILMINGTON, Jan. 31.—The Southern Pacific depot and the Wilmington saloon were broken into by two men Wednesday night, but no loot was taken. At the Southern Pacific depot entrance was effected by breaking the glass and raising the sash. The money drawer was broken open, but no cash was found. Evidently then the pair went to Thomas's saloon on Canal street. Here one of the burglars entered while the other remained on guard outside. The noise occasioned by breaking in attracted the notice of Nightwatchman Fifield, who was some distance away and who ran to the saloon, seeing a man hiding around the corner, who gave the alarm. The one outside jumped through the window, and both, running, attempted to escape. Fifield fired at them and one fell. When he reached the place no robber was found, but he had dropped the revolver, which was picked up by the officer. Nothing was taken from the saloon.

"Hotel del Coronado" very popular.

CLAREMONT.

CLAREMONT, Jan. 31.—Through the influence of J. L. Brown, secretary of the Prohibition League of California, a branch society has been organized in the college with the following officers: President, Harlow W. Halladay, '08; vice-president, Laura Seward, '08; treasurer, Stuart Queen, '10; secretary, Lucius Case, '10.

Ellsworth Young, a former member of the art staff of the Chicago Tribune, has joined his brother, E. B. Young, in the Claremont Print Shop. His family will arrive soon.

William G. Renwick of Cambridge, Mass., was a visitor here today.

Dewitt Clinton King and wife of Boston, Mass., are the guests of Mrs. John Fleming.

Not much rain at Coronado.

COVINA WINS DEBATE.

COVINA, Jan. 31.—The debate here tonight between the Covina and Pomona High Schools resulted in a victory for Covina. It took place at the Woman's Clubhouse here. The question was: "Resolved, that the government of England represents the wishes of the people as truly as does that of the United States." Pomona had the affirmative, and was represented by Clyde Harris and Vera Lorbeer. Covina was represented by Rose Nigg and Walter Ashenbrenner. The score stood 55 for Covina to 45 for Pomona.

FINANCIAL STRUGGLE.

FIGHT IS ON FOR RECEIVER.

CITIZENS' SAVINGS BANK OF LONG BEACH THE STAKE.

Stockholders Have One Man in View and Depositors Would Like to Have a Different One Named by Court to Take Charge of the Affairs of the Institution.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 31.—The lines between the stockholders and depositors of the Citizens National Bank are being sharply drawn. Their interests being diverse, the matter has resolved itself into a fight for the receivership, each desiring a man who will look after the interests of his own side. The stockholders favor C. L. Heartwell or Frank McCutcheon, former officials of the bank, while the depositors, who claim that as it was on their funds that the bank rode high on prosperity's crest, they should have first chance at the salvage, desire to have H. C. Marsh, a retired business man, appointed as receiver. A meeting of the depositors was held at the City Hall this morning and adjourned until Saturday, when it is said if the signatures of two-thirds of the 1700 depositors are secured that the court will appoint the man designated by them.

FINDS MISSING PAPERS.

While cleaning out the basement of the City Hall this morning, Janitor Amos Cleague made an important find of missing papers, the absence of which nearly lost to Long Beach the first decision in the now famous annexation of East San Pedro and Terminal Island, now pending before the Supreme Court on appeal.

When after many delays, the case of Haskell and Smith against the city of Long Beach came to trial, the attorneys for the plaintiffs who instituted the suit on behalf of San Pedro, claimed that the election for the annexation of Terminal Island and East San Pedro had not been properly called, there being no petition filed, no election called and no certification afterward of the result. In preparing their defense, attorneys for the city could not find these documents, and it became necessary to submit to the court as proof affidavits of certain of the petitioners and the minutes of the City Trustees showing these formalities had been legally complied with. The minute records being kept in Los Angeles as exhibits made it difficult for many months to get records of other matters. Judge Bordwell admitted the proofs filed and found in favor of Long Beach, from which decision San Pedro appealed.

The disappearance of these papers was at source of worry to the late Geo. W. Hargis, who was then City Clerk, and he often expressed the belief that the documents had been abstracted from the files by San Pedro agents, that city having had several employés over here examining the files and records relative to the election.

Last week the janitor began an overhauling of the basement, clearing out a lot of rubbish and junk accumulated in the past five years, and this morning was removing the last load of the stuff when he found four legal-looking documents lying in a small pool of water in one corner. On examination the papers were found to be the original petition asking for the election; Resolution No. 577, calling the election and No. 585, canvassing the ballots and declaring the result. The fourth paper was a summons to the clerk, notifying him of the suit, a paper which Hargis declared had never been served on him.

How these documents were filched from the City Clerk's office and thrown away into the basement, the only entrance to which is a trap door in the City Clerk's office, is a mystery which puzzles and which probably will never be solved. The recovery of these papers is an added strength to Long Beach's claims in case Judge Bordwell is reversed and a new trial ordered.

LOOK UP SCHMIDT'S RECORD.

Representatives of the District Attorney's office were in the city today looking up the record and reputation of Charles R. Schmidt, or Messerschmitt, sent up from here three years ago for a series of burglaries and now serving an eight-year sentence for his crimes. The case of Schmidt and his crimes is one of the historical romances of Long Beach. He was a leading contractor, open in his dealings and regarded as one of the city's best and most honorable citizens. Yet at night, clad in dark clothes and soft shoes, he sallied forth and, visiting some house, previously picked out as being untenanted, gained an entrance and looted it of everything except the furniture, and in one case, the one which led to the unraveling of the mystery, a new upright piano was dragged from the parlor to the kitchen and half way into the yard, where it was abandoned because it was too heavy. Schmidt was a man of means, with plenty of contracts and did the burglary jobs, as he said afterward, merely for the love of the adventure and the delicious joy of eluding the police, who were bending every energy to unravel the series of baffling burglaries occurring at the homes of A. M. Goodhue, Mrs. Sarah Hunsaker, Dave Mehesy, D. M. Cate and two or three others.

Finally came Schmidt's undoing. Harvey Smith, a Pacific Electric conductor, furnished a new home at Sixteenth street and American avenue, a nest for his bride, whom he was to wed on December 7, 1904. On the night of the 6th, he took his wedding suit to the house and on the way met Schmidt, whom he knew well. He told him he was going to be his neighbor. "All right," said Schmidt. "We'll come over and visit you." The promise was kept the same night and when the prospective bridegroom visited the house on his wedding morn to dress, he found his clothing, his wedding presents and all his linen, carpets, curtains, dishes and silverware missing, and the piano half way out of the house. The night had been damp and footprints beside the piano were followed by Smith across fields and streets almost to Schmidt's door. Smith hurried to town, notified the officers and, armed with search warrants, they entered the Schmidt home, where they found not only Smith's possessions but packed boxes of plunder from the other houses whose owners had been robbed. Schmidt, his wife and two stepsons, were arrested and held to the Superior Court on three counts. On trial, Schmidt took all the crime on himself, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to eight years' imprisonment. Pending notice of appeal, Schmidt remained in the County Jail for two months. His wife, who had secured her freedom, smuggled saws and files into him and he attempted to escape, which was thwarted by the jailer, whereupon Judge Smith ordered him at once to the penitentiary. His wife and children at last accounts were living in Los Angeles.

After the discovery of Schmidt's double life, it was sought to fasten on him the hold-up of the Pacific Electric agent a year previous. The robber had a pistol duel with Officer McMillan, but escaped. About that time Schmidt was limping around on a cane, claiming he had stepped on a nail, and it was thought the wound might have been made by the officer's revolver.

TOLD ALONG SHORE.

Clarence Owens, who has no regard for fish records, made a new one today, when he caught four jewfish, two at noon and two this evening. Two weighed 200 pounds each, one 300 and the other 350, a total of 1050 pounds. The last one made a desperate fight and nearly overturned Owens's skiff. In December Owens caught twenty-eight jewfish and this month has secured eight big ones.

The Mayor and City Council held an informal caucus last night and discussed the band question. Nothing definite resulted except the determination that there will be no haste in making contracts. All applicants will be given a chance to show their ability.

Sun generally shines at Coronado.

FOR CITY BEAUTY.

Three Boosting Bodies Join in a Banquet in Monrovia With Ladies Assisting.

MONROVIA, Jan. 31.—Civic pride and interest in the advancement of Monrovia along the lines of "the City Beautiful" found expression last evening in the brilliant banquet and reception by the Monrovia Board of Trade, the Saturday Afternoon Club and the Duarte-Monrovia Farmers' Club. Over two hundred guests were received in the Woman's Clubhouse from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., and entertained with a short musical programme under direction of Dr. J. G. Allison and Frank J. Cornes. The banquet at the operahouse, at which some 250 guests were served, followed the reception.

W. B. Scarborough of the Board of Trade presided as toastmaster, and the principal speakers of the evening were W. N. Monroe of Nome, Alaska, Mr. Gibbs of Pasadena, Councilman Dromgold of Los Angeles, Mr. Northup of Alhambra, Rev. Richardson of Azusa, C. S. Whitcomb of Glendora, J. A. Miller of Long Beach, W. A. Chess, Prof. Knepper and Mmes. B. C. Davies and G. A. Barry of Monrovia.

The menu was served under direction of the members of the Saturday Afternoon Club by the young lady members of the senior High School class. Music was furnished throughout the evening by the local orchestra under the leadership of Mrs. Philip Carter.

Public interest is being centered this winter on the improvement of the public playgrounds surrounding the city school buildings, and about $200 was contributed last evening by the banqueters toward a fund to purchase shade trees, plant lawns and flower gardens in suitable locations on these grounds. This sum is supplemented by a fund resulting from the open-air vaudeville entertainment, given also by the Board of Trade on Christmas Day. As now planned the grounds will be laid out by a competent engineer, and a landscape gardener, and will also include ample athletic grounds.

MONROVIA NOTES.

Capt. T. R. Crandell of Grand avenue reports the death yesterday of his favorite driving pony, Prince. The horse was almost thirty years of age, and was one of the pioneer horses of the city, having been brought here by J. W. Lee from Iowa twenty-two years ago. The little fellow was noted for his speed and up to a few weeks ago could still set a lively pace.

F. E. Crawford of Pasadena has purchased for a consideration of $10,500 a ten-acre orange ranch owned by R. R. Smith. The property is located just south of the West Duarte station.

Mrs. Leland, wife of A. N. Leland, station agent for the Southern Pacific Company at Duarte, died this morning after a protracted illness.

Capt. J. M. Thomas is recovering from a severe illness.

"Hotel del Coronado" pleases all.

OVERDOSE KILLS.

Infant in Burbank is Poisoned by Taking Too Much Medicine. New Bank.

BURBANK, Jan. 31.—The month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Grisso died here yesterday. The baby, which was sick, was given an overdose of Castoria by the mother.

The committee having the High School district division matter in charge has completed the canvass of the Burbank and Vineland districts. The petition was filed with the County Superintendent, who will soon call an election of the two districts.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the State Bank of Burbank, held in Kendall's Hall Wednesday evening, H. A. Church of Norwalk subscribed for the remainder of the stock, and work will be commenced on the building immediately. H. A. Church was elected president; A. O. Kendall, vice-president; Dr. Cottle, cashier. Nine of the directors were elected, who are George Luttge, H. Rosecup, O. Myers, Martin Pupka, John Radcliffe, E. W. Cook, A. O. Kendall, Jud. Shelton and A. E. Dufur. The corner lot on Olive avenue and Second street has been purchased and work will commence on the building at once. The building will be 25x60 feet, of pressed brick.

The amount of rainfall for the season here is 9.17 inches.

VENICE.

VENICE, Jan. 31.—The opponents of the proposed fire house bonds are to hold a mass meeting at the auditorium Saturday night. The election is to be held Monday, and both sides of the question are the subject of animated debate from end to end of the bay.

George H. Nettleton is first to announce himself as a candidate for election to the office of City Marshal of Ocean Park, although S. E. Huff, A. R. Ramsey and J. W. Ivy are said to have their eyes on the nomination.

Stanley Hale has succeeded C. E. Meskimen as secretary of the Good Government League, which is to meet one week from tomorrow for the ostensible purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the several offices, aside from trustees, to be filled at the April election.

The Abbot Kinney Company is in consultation with Dr. David Starr Jordan, who is requested to name a competent man to act as superintendent and manager of the aquarium which it is proposed to establish at Venice.

When in doubt go to Coronado.

GLENDALE.

GLENDALE, Jan. 31.—That Joe Willard Bishop died this morning from the effects of three bullet-wounds inflicted by himself while under the influence of liquor, was the verdict of the inquest conducted this noon by Deputy Coroner Williams of Los Angeles. On Wednesday night Bishop shot himself three times over the heart, two of the bullets going clear through the body and one lodging in the left arm. Bishop conducted a grocery on San Fernando road, with a license to serve drinks and was a moderate drinker himself.

For a consideration of $4000 Mrs. Olive Nelson yesterday sold her residence, completed less than a year ago, and two lots on Cedar street, to William Lee, for the occupancy of his son Ed Lee.

CLAIM AN END.

FOR TERMINAL RATES ORGANIZE.

COMMITTEE IN SAN PEDRO STARTS OPERATIONS.

Will Communicate With Railroad Representatives and Government Officers Relative to the Desired Concession—Annual Banquet of the Chamber of Commerce.

SAN PEDRO, Jan. 31.—The committee of citizens appointed Tuesday afternoon by the Board of City Trustees, empowered to make an attempt to secure terminal rates for this city, met this afternoon and effected a permanent organization to be known as the San Pedro Terminal Point Commission. Phillip Gaffey was elected chairman and John C. Wray, secretary.

The secretary was instructed to forward letters to the Western Traffic Association at Denver, Franklin K. Lane of the Interstate Commerce Commission, Senator Frank P. Flint and Congressman James McLachlan relative to ways and means to secure terminal rates for San Pedro. Letters were also sent to the secretary of the United States Senate and to the clerk of the House of Representatives requesting information relaeive to bills covering transcontinental freight rates and for other information.

TOWN'S LOVE FEAST.

The annual banquet of the San Pedro Chamber of Commerce was held at the South Coast Yacht Clubhouse last night. About fifty members and friends participated. The gathering was in the nature of a love feast and local differences were for the time forgotten and ways and means to promote the welfare and prosperity of San Pedro were discussed.

City Attorney Henry Stieglits acted as toastmaster and toasts were responded to by Sam Stover, president of the Chamber of Commerce; H. P. Fere, A. L. Seelig, Frank Karr, John C. Wray and others.

BOY OVERBOARD.

The little son of Capt. Keegan, master of the schooner Cecelia Sudden, had a narrow escape from drowning last night. Capt. Keegan was out rowing on the bay in company with his wife and boy. A sudden lurch of the boat threw the youngster overboard. Capt. Keegan plunged after the child and, gripping its clothing in his teeth, started to swim ashore, when the launch Buster B., which was passing, went to the assistance of the mariner and child and took them on board.

"Hotel del Coronado" is best.

MORE TREASURE TALK.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 31.—If there be any lost, buried or hidden treasure on earth, the Santa Monica gold hunters believe they are being told all there is to be learned about it. The announcement of the fact that Police Judge J. J. Carrillo had knowledge of the hiding place of the Joaquin Murietta loot seems to have awakened the people. That announcement was followed by the confirmation of the story in telegraphic dispatches from San José, telling of the plowing up of Spanish treasure to the value of $450,000. This has caused others to comment.

Now comes A. S. Ashby, writing from No. 1006 West First street, Los Angeles, to Justice of the Peace J. C. Steele, telling of the location, within ninety miles of Albuquerque, N. M., of a great cache of silver bullion. This treasure is supposed to have been buried in the early years of the last century by a coterie of Mexican argentiferous miners who had been surprised by Indians after having made a rich strike. In order to protect their secret and save the result of their labors, they were compelled to bury the bullion. Ashby says he has a map giving the location of the wealth, and this information he agrees to divulge provided the treasure-seeking organization will accept him within the fold and permit him to share in the general findings. Justice Steele avers that he is not promoting close corporations of this nature, but if the holders of secrets insist upon taking him into their confidence, he has no objection to sharing their riches with those who know of their location.

Tomorrow afternoon the members of the Methodist congregation will conduct an open house at the Methodist church. The occasion is the informal opening of the large addition to the new church edifice, preparatory to the formal dedication Sunday. The evening programme Saturday will include short addresses and musical numbers.

Local Elks have under way a minstrel show, to be given during the visit of the Atlantic fleet to this bay. The affair will be given in the auditorium at Venice. It is to be under the management of a committee consisting of C. B. Pettis, T. Ferron, P. S. Lindsey, R. L. Meyer and H. P. Schofield.

TO UPHOLD STEEL PRICES.

Magnates Meet and Agree That There Is no Occasion for Reduction at Present.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—That no necessity exists for a reduction in the prices for iron and steel, and that none will be made, was the general understanding arrived at by the representative members of the iron combination, iron and steel, at a meeting held in this city yesterday.

No agreement for maintenance of prices was made, or suggested, but the belief was expressed by all those present that maintenance of prices "would result in benefit to the manufacturers, to their customers, to the employés and to interests generally."

Brief addresses were made by practically every one present, including J. P. Morgan, and without exception, the opinion was voiced that present prices were fully justified and should not be changed.

"FOR WANT OF PROPER CARE."

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The report of the commission which investigated the disappearance from Dublin Castle of jewels valued at $250,000, was presented to Parliament today. It finds that the safe in which the jewels was kept must have been opened by a key, and concluded with these words: "We cannot acquit Sir Arthur Edward Vicars for want of proper care in his custody of the keys of the safe." Sir Arthur, as Ulster King of Arms, was custodian of the jewels.

Hair Loss

Consult your doctor about your falling hair. If he says, "Ayer's Hair Vigor is the best," then begin today. Do as he says.

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Havoc Wrought by Plague Almost Inconceivable.

The casual observer does not know of the havoc wrought by the white plague in the homes of this city. Its work is quiet, but none the less terrible.

The public should awaken to the demand upon it for sympathy and support. There is no doubt that consumption can be eliminated if the people will join in the efforts of the anti-tuberculosis societies. Much has been accomplished and complete success is certain if the people themselves will help.

The first duty of mankind to itself is to guard in every way possible against the deadly germ. Neglect of even an ordinary cough or cold is dangerous, as the resulting irritation of the lungs renders them sore and especially receptive to the tubercular germ.

To break up a cold quickly and cure any cough that is curable, there is nothing so effective as a mixture of two ounces of glycerine, a half ounce Virgin Oil of Pine and eight ounces of good whiskey. Mix thoroughly and take a teaspoonful every four hours. Five ounces of tincture of Cinchona compound can be used instead of the whiskey with the same effect.

The ingredients are inexpensive and can be purchased without trouble at any good drug store. To avoid substitution of some inferior pine product for the Virgin Oil of Pine, it is better to purchase each separately and mix them at home.

The genuine Virgin Oil of Pine is put up for dispensing only in ½-ounce vials, each vial securely sealed in a round wooden case with an engraved wrapper showing plainly the name—Virgin Oil of Pine compound pure, guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Act of June 30, 1906, Serial No. 451, prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, Ohio. Be sure to get the genuine, as the oil sold in bulk and cheap imitations put out to resemble Virgin Oil of Pine in name and style of package are ineffective, being largely composed of a distillation of pine needles, or leaves, instead of from the pine tree proper.

These pine needle oils are not intended for internal use, and when taken internally usually cause nausea. Their use is mainly confined to the manufacture of soap and similar purposes.

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Bucket Brigade Formed by Willing Volunteers Confines the Damage to Ten Thousand Dollars—Man Who Suffers Beating for Love Wins Santa Barbara Bride.

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 31.—An explosion of oil in one of the two settling tanks on the wharf of the Kern Trading Company at Summerland about midnight last night provided a spectacular fire that lighted up the Santa Barbara Channel for many miles and looked, from a distance, like a repetition of the Port Harford conflagration. The origin of the fire is a mystery. There are two tanks on the wharf and the total contents were about 24,000 gallons. The burning oil spread out upon the ocean and was driven along the shore by the high wind, the fire communicating to the Sunset wharf, but there it was stopped with little damage. A bucket brigade formed by the small population of Summerland saved adjoining property. The blaze took place in the midst of the maze of oil wells, but singularly enough none of the adjacent property was seriously damaged. The total loss is about $10,000.

RANGERS RECONSIDER.

The convention of forest rangers closed at midnight last night after a banquet and smoking concert. The action of the previous day with regard to the classification of the rangers to act as game wardens was reconsidered and it was decided that, so far as their other duties would allow, they would protect game within the national preserves and make arrests where possible. Today there was a general scattering of the rangers to their various camps in the Santa Barbara reserve.

SECRETLY WEDDED.

Following the assault recently committed by a gang of jealous young toughs upon Edward Babington, a former sailor in the United States navy, because of his attentions to Miss Angelina Simon of this city, comes the news of the marriage of the couple in Los Angeles. The issuance of the marriage license was reported in the Los Angeles papers and last night the couple was taxed with being husband and wife. At first they denied it, but later admitted that they had been secretly married in the Angel City. Shortly they will go to Oregon, where Babington's father resides. Mrs. Babington declared last night that a young man who would suffer such a beating as her husband received for the sake of his love was worth marrying.

CHINESE MAKE MERRY.

Local Chinatown is preparing for the opening of the Chinese New Year's Day tomorrow at sunrise. All the shops closed at sundown and the population of Chinatown, in gala attire, is awaiting the coming dawn, when the rattle and bang of countless firecrackers will help break the day. The feast will last for a week or ten days.

FEEBLE-MINDED WOMEN.

Julia Martini, a young woman who has lived in the Spanish section of this city for several years, was yesterday taken to the County Jail, a charge of insanity being preferred by Angelo Martini. She will have a hearing within a few days. Thirteen-year-old Ella L. Stockett, also of this city, was yesterday committed by Judge Crow of the Superior Court to the Eldredge Home for Feeble-minded.

Large crowds at Coronado.

CASE FOR SULPHUR.

Ventura Fruit Growers' Association Makes Strong Points in Letter to Secretary Wilson.

VENTURA, Jan. 31.—Judge Daly of this county, president of the Fruit Growers' Association, has addressed a letter to Secretary of Agriculture Wilson strongly stating the views of the growers on the question of sulphuring fruit. He says in part. "No complaint of sulphur has been heard from any nation on earth to which our fruit has been sent, though 50 to 60 per cent. of our dried fruit goes to Europe in seasons of large crops. Governments exercising paternal supervision, such as Germany, have attempted to limit the amount of sulphur dioxide in our dried fruits, which legislation, we have contended, was to prevent the light, beautiful and appetizing California dried fruits coming in competition with the dark-colored and poor-tasting fruit produced and sold in that country." He asks that in the commission to be named by the President to investigate the subject there be included as many practical fruit growers as other members.

BEAN SHIPMENTS.

Thirty-nine carloads of lima beans have been shipped from Saticoy the past month. There yet remain in the warehouse there 32,000 sacks of limas which will soon go forward to the eastern market.

FARMERS' TELEPHONE LINE.

Farmers of this county have formed themselves into a company for the purpose of installing a telephone system. The Moorpark Rural Company has elected A. Everett president; W. L. Fox, vice-president, and M. W. Wright, secretary and treasurer. It is expected the line will eventually take in the Big Simi and Little Simi.

W. H. Reilly, recently appointed warden at Folsom, returned yesterday from the North, where he had been to take the oath of office, and file his official bond. He will assume his new duties on February 15.

Charles White of Oxnard, who is very black, and aged 16, was yesterday sent to the Industrial School at Ione. He had been caught stealing, and only his youth saved him from the penitentiary.

GAME PRESERVE.

The Ventura County Game Preserve Association has been formed here. It is capitalized at $50,000, the purpose being to acquire 1200 acres of ocean front between Hueneme and Point Magu. It is proposed to sink artesian wells on the land and cover it with fresh water, in which will be planted wild rice and celery for duck feed. The enterprise will be gone into as much as a matter of speculation as for sport. It is reported Los Angeles sportsmen are negotiating for the land with a view to establishing a preserve.

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TO "CARPET" GO POLICEMEN.

STIR AMONG THE FORCE IN SAN BERNARDINO.

Rules for Their Government Said not to Have Been Obeyed by the Officers—Business Men Decline to Support Movement for Establishment of a Merchants' Patrol.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 31.—The members of the police force were "on the carpet" this afternoon. Just what the trouble has been that brought about their sudden call before Chief of Police Seccombe is not stated, but enough is known concerning what occurred in the Chief's private office to indicate that vacancies will occur on the force unless police regulations are better obeyed.

This will be news to many here, who have long regarded the members of the present force as models of efficiency. For several weeks merchants have been annoyed by petty thefts, and a number of daring burglaries among the stores have occurred, and it is believed that the failure of the officers to do proper patrol duty is, in a measure, the cause. Under the regulations the police are supposed to keep in motion, traveling regular beats, but sometimes these regulations have not been fully complied with.

A movement to establish a merchants' patrol has been "turned down" by the business men, on the ground that the police department should provide sufficient protection, and the merchants have not only voted the department sufficient in numbers, but efficient in the performance of duty. Since the vote was taken the department has been further increased by the appointment of two other officers.

The authorities of the San Bernardino Business College this afternoon had a consultation with a group of business men and city officials, with a view to securing from the citizens a site for a $50,000 college building. The school people desire to build, as their present quarters are too limited. Redlands has been courting them, offering a free site, besides financial aid in putting up a building.

Alfino Guyen, straw boss of a Santa Fé section at Needles, was arrested this morning at that place charged with the murder of the unknown Mexican whose remains were found there last Tuesday morning, with the entire head shot away. Three Mexicans are also under arrest as witnesses, alleging that they saw Guyen shoot the deceased. The accused denies their allegations.

State Senator H. M. Willis has been retained as special prosecutor in the criminal case against H. Hartman, the wealthy Mojave River cattleman, charged by indictment with assault to murder his step-daughter. Some of the people of Victorville are anxious to see Hartman convicted, and for this reason have paid Senator Willis a handsome fee to take the case from the shoulders of the District Attorney's office.

The Merchants' Association held a general meeting last night, in Judge Oster's courtroom, to discuss a general bargain day, and, while the matter was not voted down and out, yet the opposition developed strong, and there may be an abandonment of the scheme. Those opposing the venture declare that it is unbusinesslike, that San Bernardino merchants give bargains every saleday in the year.

J. D. Huey and L. V. Kivett have commenced suit against Joseph and Conrad Scheerer, Phillip Lammert and Otto Gray, to quiet their title to a mining claim near Oro Grande, known as the Eureka, and formerly located as the "What Not." The property has been the object of contest for months, at one time developing a shooting affair.

The churches of the city have completed arrangements for taking a census of the city, with the idea of ascertaining how many children do not attend Sunday-school. The census will begin February 5, expert canvassers being placed in the field for the purpose. The result, it is thought, will offer a basis for accurately estimating the population of the city.

ENGINE DIVIDES BODY.

Pantoleon Moreno, aged 54, was instantly killed last night by a switch engine in the Santa Fé yards, he having leaped on a track in front of the engine while intoxicated. The wheels passed across his body at the waist, cutting him in two. Moreno and his three sons gained wide notoriety by reason of their lawlessness, all being inmates of San Quentin at the same time. Moreno for assault with a deadly weapon. By a singular coincidence the victim of that assault died Wednesday.

HIGH MESSAGE CATCHER.

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REDLANDS IS LATEST PLACE TO BE SELECTED.

Station Will Probably Be in Working Order by the Time the Fleet of Battleships Arrives—San Bernardino, Riverside, San Diego and Pasadena Also Will Get Service.

REDLANDS, Jan. 31.—Redlands is to have a wireless telegraph station. Howard H. Stowe of Los Angeles has found the most desirable spot is upon the roof of La Casa Loma. An agreement has been made for the installation of a station of the United Wireless Telegraph Company, which has its equipment upon the government vessels.

Comparatively few stations have been instituted on this Coast. The one at Point Loma has been in operation some time, and this week that on top of the Huntington building, Los Angeles, was completed. Riverside is to have two stations, one on Rubidoux Heights and a smaller one upon the Glenwood Tavern. Others have been arranged for in San Bernardino, San Diego, Pasadena and in one of the coast towns near Los Angeles.

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REDLANDS NOTES.

The rain did not entirely stop the picking of oranges, as sixty-two cars went forward during the week ended today, making the total shipment for the season from this section 1090 cars.

The following are registered at La Casa Loma: E. S. Hunter, C. S. Byington, Pasadena; E. D. McCain, Pittsburgh; Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Edmonds, Miss Rose Edmonds, Brookline, Mass.; William F. Richter, George Harmann, San Francisco; T. Friendly, A. Friendly, R. E. Whitaker, Elsinore; William Sellers, Deadwood, S. D.; Burdett Moody, McLeod, S. D.; Rex. Belcher, New York; T. T. Stegins, San Antonio.

The following officers have been elected for the coming semester by the Associated Study Body of the High School: President, Harry Person; secretary, Kennedy Reeves; assistant secretary, Charles Driver; treasurer, Theoron Bradshaw; assistant treasurer, Jean Brock. An executive committee of eighteen was appointed.

The first institute and conference on Sunday-school methods, under the auspices of the Redlands Sunday-school Union, was held in the Presbyterian Church today. Rev. F. M. Larkin and Rev. R. B. Coons delivered the addresses of the afternoon. A round table discussion was conducted by Dr. L. J. Avey. This evening an address was delivered by Rev. Albert Hatcher Smith, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Pasadena.

Bulwer Lytton's "Richelieu" will be presented during commencement week by the graduating class of the Redlands High School and the characters have been cast as follows: Richelieu, Harry Person; King, Stanley Mussell; Duke of Orleans, Gail Larkin; Baradas, Tom Sanborn; De Mautrat, Warren Tucker; Berningham, Herbert Hubbard; Joseph, Harold Sherman; Huguet Frank Ford; Francois, Leroy Childs; Clermont, H. Burns; Governor, Edward Nickerson; Julie, Maude Barkelew; Marion, Helen Rausch.

FOR VEGETABLE RANCHES.

Six Hundred-Acre Piece in Coachella Valley to Be Subdivided for Truck Patches.

INDIO, Jan. 31.—The Durbrow estate, one of the show places of the Coachella Valley, and one on which a remarkable showing has been made as to what can be accomplished in foresting desert lands, is to be subdivided into small holdings, and placed upon the market as fruit and vegetable ranches. The property consists of 600 acres, located one-half mile from Indio. The substantial residence, which is surrounded by well-matured trees of many varieties, is to be converted into a sanatorium by Los Angeles capitalists.

An effort is being made to secure electric lights for the streets and railroad grounds of the Southern Pacific, through power generated at the machine shops of the railroad.

A Pasadena colony which has located on lands near Indio, and which is making extensive improvements, is composed of the families of C. W. Buyers, J. L. Steadman, Stephen Lachley, C. E. Tilton, H. Crandle, M. Stewart and W. H. Breckom.

Jack Hegman has sold his cottage in Indio to William Everett. Mr. Hegman has gone to Holtville to reside, an has purchased 200 acres near that town, which he will set to grapes.

Indio holds the record for late shipment of figs to the Los Angeles market. Figs were sent from the Fred Johnson orchard, adjoining the government experimental station, on December 27, and this was the third crop for the year. The total crop averaged at the rate of $900 the acre. Mr. Johnson believes there is no danger of overproduction, as the Coachella Valley figs reach the Los Angeles and coast markets when there is a dearth of this fruit, and highest prices prevail.

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THE weird rites seen by an American at a Syrian funeral will be described in The Times Magazine the coming Sunday.

Truth and Quality

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In an address at his free show grounds at the corner of Seventh and Spring streets last night The Great Fer-Don explained why there are so many people visiting the offices of the European Medical Experts each day.

A visitor to these offices sees many people not only from Los Angeles but from all over the Southwest. Many come for the purpose of having tumors or cancers removed by the bloodless methods. Others, suffering from gall stones, come to seek relief from these dreaded growths, by the aid of three doses of a peculiar preparation, prepared only by these noted physicians. Others suffering from rheumatism or deafness or from any chronic disease come to find a cure by the European methods.

"The reason they come to the European Medical Experts, instead of going to other specialists," said the Great Fer-Don, "is because the Experts really cure disease and really perform wonders in the line of bloodless surgery. The people here have had many opportunities of observing for themselves the work that has been done. They have seen tumors removed from prominent people here upon this platform by the bloodless method. They have seen and heard many who have come upon this platform to testify concerning the relief secured and cures made. Names have been given of those who have been cured, people whom every one knows, and who would not lend their names or prestige to any doubtful affair. These Experts have created a sensation by performing cures where other doctors had tried and failed, in many cases where the case had been pronounced incurable. They accept no case unless they can positively promise a cure, refusing all really incurable cases."

The success of the European Medical Experts here in Los Angeles is now assured. They have made a name for themselves which brings to their offices at 745 South Main Street all those who really want to get well, all those who are suffering from chronic diseases. They remove tumors, cancers and gall stones without the use of the knife. They cure rheumatism, deafness, hip joint disease, female troubles, diseases of the blood, stomach, liver, kidneys and heart, in fact all curable diseases.

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Feb. 1, 1908.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,122,919.75. For the corresponding day of 1907, $2,002,383.20; for the same day of 1906, $1,962,077.06.

Monday	$1,436,967.33
Tuesday	1,258,526.94
Wednesday	1,244,703.78
Thursday	1,088,288.48
Friday	1,122,919.75
Total	$6,144,536.28
Same time, 1907	10,149,093.45
Same time, 1906	8,900,073.95

Following are the live quotations on general and mining securities listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Main streets, for yesterday's session of the exchange.

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	....	$100.00
Associated Oil	$27.50	27.87½
Brookshire Oil	....	2.00
Central	.73	.81
Columbia	.60½	.65
Continental	.18	.21
Elk Consolidated Oil Co.	....	.25
Fullerton Consolidated	.27	....
Fullerton Oil	.54	.70
Globe	.09½	.10
Mexican Petroleum	1.25	1.50
New Pa. Petroleum Co.	....	1.25
Pinal Oil Co.	....	13.00
Olinda Oil Co.	.10¼	.12
Reed Crude	.11½	.15
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	.95	....
Union	201.00	202.50
Union Provident Co.	138.00	208.00
United Petroleum	255.00	280.00
Western Union	....	300.00

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	....	$130.00
Bank of Los Angeles	....	120.00
Bank of So. California	....	120.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	$155.00	....
California Savings Bank (Capital, $100,000 paid up.)	....	130.00
Central National Bank	140.00	197.50
Citizens' National	....	245.00
Commercial National	....	125.00
Equitable Savings Bank	201.00	....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	....	330.00
Federal Bank of L. A.	....	16.00
First National	....	430.00
German-American Savings	....	215.00
Globe Savings Bank ($100,000 paid up.)	101.00	115.00
Home Savings Bk. of L. A.	....	140.00
Merchants' Trust Co.	....	85.00
National Bank of California	....	210.00
Security Savings Bank	....	300.00
The Southern Trust Co. ($1,000,000 paid up.)	60.00	....

*BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.	79	83
Corona Power & W. Co.	....	92
Cucamonga Water Co.	89	92
Edison Elec. Co., 1s R.	....	96
Edison Elec. Co., old issue	....	107
Home Telephone Co.	81	85
Home Tel. Co., 1st Refg.	....	79
L. A. Stove Co.	....	97
L. A. Traction Co. 6s	102	107
L. A. Traction Co. 5s	101	105
L. A. Electric Co.	....	104
L. A. Railway Co.	102	106
Mission Trans. & R. Co.	85	90
Mt. Lowe Railway	....	96
Pacific Electric Ry. Co.	101	104
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	....	90
Pomona & O. L. & F. Co.	....	92
Pomona Con. Water Co.	88	95
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	90
Riverside L. & F. Co.	....	94
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co.	....	96
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	....	90
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	94
Seaside Water Co.	100	....
Temescal Water Co.	....	95
Union Transportation Co.	82.50	....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	....	90
Visalia Water Co.	....	93
Whittier H. T. & T. Co.	....	85½

*Prices include accrued interest.

INDUSTRIALS AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	$75.00
California Hospital	....	85.00
Edison Electric pfd	$75.00	79.00
Home Telephone pfd	51.25	52.25
Home Tel. Co., com	10.50	14.00
L. A. Brewing Co.	....	130.00
L. A. Investment Co.	2.00	2.07
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	....	150.00
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	....	35.00
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	25.00
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	....	75.00
Seaside Water Co.	....	95.00
Title G. & Trust Co. pfd	124.00	200.00
Title I. & Trust Co. pfd	132.00	180.00
Title I. & Trust Co. com	132.50	150.00
Title I. & Trust, Ser. C	132.00	180.00
U. S. L. D. T. & T. pfd	43.50	44.50
Union Trust Co.	....	45.00

OFFICIAL SALES: 30 U. S. Long Distance Telephone at 43.75; 10 Associated Oil at 27.62½; 10 Union Oil at 201.00, B. 10.

MINING STOCKS.

California—Greenwater District—

	Bid.	Asked.
Clark Copper Co.	.07	.07½
Furnace Creek Copper	.21	.30
Kempland Copper Co.	....	.10
California Hills M. Co.	.00½	.01½
Consolidated Mines Co.	.01¼	.01½
Nevada—Goldfield District—		
Goldfield Con. Mines	5.65	5.70
Goldfield-Wild Horse	....	.03
Gold Storm King G. M. Co.	....	.02½
Johnnie District—Nye county—		
Johnnie Con. G. M. Co.	.11	.11½
Mohawk-Johnnie	....	.05
Searchlight District—		
Cyrus Noble	....	.02
Eldorado Can. M. & M. Co.	.00½	.02
New Era	.00½	.01
Nevada Searchlight	.00½	.01½
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	....	1.00
Searchlight Parallel	.02½	.03½
Searchlight Western	....	.04

OFFICIAL SALES: 50 Greene Cananea Copper at 10.00, B. 60; 3000 Consolidated Mines at 1⅝.

Metal Market.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Bar silver, 55¼.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Lead unchanged, at 3.70 to 3.75.

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Copper dull. Lake, 13.62½ to 13.87½; electrolytic, 13.50 to 13.75; casting, 13.25 to 13.50.

less; in 5-lb. boxes, 2c extra; in 10-lb. boxes, 1½c extra.) Prunes, Silver, fancy, 30s, 11; apricots, 11@13.

RAISINS—Per box, layers, 3-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.00; clusters, 4-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 4.00; clusters, 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.25; clusters, 5-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.75; clusters, 1-crown, 5-lb. boxes, 90; clusters, 6-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 3.00; clusters, 6-crown, 5-lb. boxes, 1.00; clusters, 6-crown, 12 2½-lb. cartons, 3.00; clusters, 6-crown, 24 1-lb. cartons, 4.50. Loose Muscatels, per lb., 2-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 5½; 3-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 6; 4-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 6½; Seedless Sultanas, 50-lb. boxes, 6; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50s, 12; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 25s, 12½; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50 1-lb., 14. Seeded, fancy "Eagle," 25 1-lb., 11; fancy "Catalina," 50 1-lb., 11; fancy "Angelus," 45 ¾-lb., 9½.

NUTS—New, almonds, fancy IXL, 20; almonds, fancy paper-shell, 19; almonds, choice softshell, 18; assorted nuts, 25-lb. boxes, 18; Brazils, large, new crop, 15; chestnuts, Italian, 8; filberts, large, new crop, 15; pecans, Jumbo, 20; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," raw, 8½@9; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," roasted, 11½; peanuts, Cal. "Sunshine," raw, 9; peanuts, Cal. "Sunshine," roasted, 11; peanuts, Japs, fancy, raw, 8@8½; peanuts, Japs, fancy, roasted, 10; pinenuts, 15; walnuts, No. 1, softshell, 17; walnuts, No. 2, softshell, 14; walnuts, black, 5; hickory nuts, 13@15; chestnuts, 14@18; popcorn, 5@6 per lb.

HONEY—Comb honey, 1-lb. frames, 16@17; light amber, 15; water white, 16; extracted, light amber, 6½@7; water white, 8; white, 7.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, firsts, 2.50@2.75; seconds, 1.50@2.00; culls, 1.00@1.25; Valencia oranges, choice standard, 2.00@2.50; standards, 1.50@2.00; culls, 75@1.00; lemons, fancy packed, 2.00@3.00; choice lemons, 1.75@2.00; unpacked stock, 1.00@1.75; grapefruit, seedless, 2.75@3.25; seedling grapefruit, 1.75@2.00; Tangerines, 1.50@1.75.

FRESH FRUITS—Bellefleur apples, 2.00; Baldwin apples, 1.50@1.75; Spitzenbergs, 2.75@3.00; Lawver, 1.25; Colorado Jonathans, 3.50; Ganos, 2.50@2.60; Greenings, 1.75@2.00; Pearmains, 1.50@1.75; Ben Capa, 2.50@3.00; Baltimore Reds, 1.65; Newtown pippins, 1.50; Arkansas Blacks, 2.50@3.00; grapes, per box, Red Emperor, 1.50; Cornichon, 1.75@2.00; Winter Sickles pears, 5 per lb.; persimmons, 2.00@2.50 per crate; pineapples, 3½@4 per lb.

BERRIES—Strawberries, 4@6; guavas, 5; cranberries, Wisconsin, 12.50.

ONIONS—Minnesota Red onions, 2.25@2.50 per cwt.; Australian Brown onions, 3.50 per cwt.; northern Australian Browns, 3.25; Globe onions, 2.00@2.25; Oregons, 2.50; Colorado onions, 2.25@2.00.

POTATOES—Local Burbank potatoes, 1.15@1.25 per 100 lbs.; northern sweets, 2.00@2.60; sweet potatoes, 2.50@3.00 per cwt.; Highland Burbanks, 1.10@1.25; Salinas, 1.75@2.00; Colorados, 1.50 per 100 lbs.; Early Rose, 1.85@2.00; White Rose, 1.75@2.00; Idaho, 1.35; Lompocs, 1.75.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, 35@40; carrots, 35@40; parsley, 40 per doz.; spearmint, 35@40 per doz.; turnips, 35@40; oysterplant, 40; peas, 5@7; radishes, 20@25 per doz.; cabbage, 50@60; fancy green onions, 40 per doz.; leeks, 40 per doz.; lettuce, common, 20@25 per doz., 40@50 per crate; endive, 40 per doz.; escaro, 40 per doz.; chicory, 40 per doz.; garlic, 10; parsnips, 35@40 per doz.; tomatoes, 1.50@1.75 per box; pie pumpkins, 2@3 per lb.; celery, 35@40 per doz.; cucumbers, 1.25@1.50 per box; cultivated mushrooms, 1.00 per lb.; wild mushrooms, 25@35 per lb.; Jerusalem artichokes, 75; watercress, 40 per doz.; string beans, 10@12 per lb.; peas, 5@7 per lb.; Brussels sprouts, 6@7 per lb.; green chile peppers, 20@25 per lb.; okra, 10 per lb.; eggplant, 9@10 per lb.; bell peppers, 4@6 per lb.; Lima beans, 8@10 per lb.; celery root, 25 per doz.; rhubarb, 50@85 per box; Hubbard squash, 5@7 per lb.; artichokes, 75@1.00 per doz.; cauliflower, 40@60 per doz.; horseradish, 12½ per lb.; dill, 25 per lb.

POULTRY—Dealers sell, live weight: Old roosters, 8@9; young roosters, 3 lbs. and up, 16@17; stags, 8; hens, 13@14 per lb.; ducks, 14@15; geese, 15; turkeys, 15½@17; squab pigeons, 1.75@2.00 per doz.; fryers, 2½ lbs. to 3¼ lbs., 18@19; broilers, 1½ to 2 lbs., 19@20.

BEEF—Steers, No. 1, per lb., 8; second, 6½; third, 5½@7; prime, 8; heifers, 7½; veal, 10; hind quarters, 9½; fore quarters, 7; loins of beef, No. 1, 12; ribs of beef, No. 1, 11; chucks, 6@6½; plates, 4; round and rumps, 8½; beef tenderloins, 22; square beef clods, 8½; shoulder clods, 8½; beef shanks, 3; flank rumps, 7½; flank steaks, 10; beef rolls, 10; boned beef trimming, 5; beef tongues, 10; R. P. beef tongues, 14; ox tails, 5; lambs' tongues, per doz., 30; beef hearts, each, 10; beef livers, each, 20; kidney suet, per lb., 6; kidneys, each, 5; sweetbreads, 25; brains, 10; hides, 6½.

MUTTON—Dressed muttons, ewes, per lb., 10½; dressed mutton, wether, 11; dressed mutton, yearlings, 11½; milk lambs, 12; sheep, 1.00@4.00.

PORK—Dressed hogs, per lb., head on, 10; dressed hogs, head off, 11; trimmed hobs, 12; pork loins, 14; fresh picnics, 9; pork shoulders, 10½; pork butts, 13½; fresh hams, 13; bellies, fresh, 14; pork trimmings, 10; frozen pork spare ribs, 5; fresh pork spare ribs, 11; pork tenderloins, 20; back fat, 10; cleaned pigs' feet, each, 3½; tongues (pickled, sweet or fresh), 15; cleaned hogs' heads, per lb., 2½; plain cooked tripe, per lb., 4½; hog plucks, each, 5; pork kidneys, per doz., 15; pig tails, per lb., 4; neck bones, per lb., 4½.

BACON—Winchester 16-lb. bacon, 19; Winchester bacon, 19½; 12 Ave., 16½; Empire, 19½; 6 er. 16@17; Premium, 23½; Atlas bacon, 17½; Gold Band, 19½; Diamond C bacon, 22; Helmet bacon, 15½; Orange Blossom bacon, 14; Sunlight bacon, 6-8 avg., 21; Rex breakfast bacon, 16½; Rex Breakfast bacon, 8-10 avg., 19; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 19½; Regal bacon, 15½; Helmet bacon, 6-10 avg., 17½; Helmet, 6-8 avg., 16½; White Label bacon, 8 to 10 lbs., 18½; Armour's Star Wide bacon, 4 to 6 lbs., 24; Armour's Wide bacon, 6-8 avg., 20; wide bacon, 8-10 avg., 13½; Armour's White Label bacon, 8-10 avg., 18½; Special bacon, 18½; Western bacon, 10-12 lbs. avg., 17½.

DRY SALTED MEATS—Dry salt narrow bellies, 13; dry salt clear bellies, 18-20 avg., 13½; dry salt clear backs, 13; short clear backs, 12½; D. S. bellies, 16-18 avg., 13.

PICKLED GOODS—Honey-comb tripe, half-bbls., 5.50; honey-comb tripe, keg, 1.65; honey-comb tripe, kits, 1.35; spiced pigs' feet, half-bbls., 3.50; spiced pigs' feet, keg, 2.90; spiced pigs' feet, kits, 1.35; pickled lambs' tongues, kits, 2.00; pigs' tongues, spiced, kits, 2.00.

HAMS—Per lb., hex, 14½; Rex skinned hams, 16½; Diamond C, 15½; Diamond C skinned hams, 15¼; boiled boneless Rex hams, 21; mild-cured hams, 14; plain hams, 14; Winchester, small, 10 to 12 avg., 15; Winchester hams, avg., 14; Premium, 10-12 avg., 16; Winchester picnics, 10; Winchester skinned hams, 15; Gold Band, 16; California hams, 10; Premium skinned hams, 16; Orange Blossom, 12; Ashland hams, 14; minced ham, 13; Cylinder boiled hams, 22; Premium boiled hams, 22; Oxford boiled hams, 13½; Star hams, 10-12 avg., 16; Armour's Star hams, 14-16 avg., 15½; Star hams, 12-14 avg., 15½; Helmet hams, 16½; Star skinned hams, 16½; Armour's boiled hams, 22; boiled boneless and tied hams, 24; Armour's picnic hams, 10; Regal hams, 15; Atlas hams, 14; Armour's Shield hams, 10 to 14 lbs. avg., 15; Armour's Shield hams, 14-16 avg., 15; Shield picnics, 10; Shield hams, 16-18 avg., 16½; Ashland hams, 8 avg., 14; Jefferson hams, 14½.

BARRELED MEATS—Rumps (bone in,) bbls., 10.00; half-bbls., 5.50; rumps (bone out,) bbls., 12.50; half-bbls., 6.75; plate beef, bbls., 8.00; half-bbls., 5.00; rolled plate (boneless,) bbls., 12.00; half-bbls., 6.50; Sunderland pork, bbls., 23.00; half-bbls., 11.75; family pork, bbls., 22.00; half-bbls., 12.00; fancy pig pork (narrow,) bbls., 24.00; half-bbls., 12.50; fancy pig pork (wide,) bbls., 20.00; half-bbls., 12.25; S. P. spare ribs, 10.00 bbl.; half-bbls., 5.25.

PURE LARD—Tierces, per lb., 13; cases, 3 10-lb. cans, 10¼; leaf lard, 11¾; Rex pure lard, 11½; Premium lard, 13; Silver Leaf lard, 12; Jewel Compound, 9; Compound lard, western, 11; back fat, 9½; Yellow Cotosuet, 10½; White Cotosuet, 10¾; Mission lard, 10½; Shield lard, 11½; Star lard, 13½; Armour's Compound lard, western, 8½; Compound lard, eastern, 9¾@10; Diamond C kettle lard, 12½; White Ribbon, 8¾@9¾; basis Suetene, 9@10; vegetable lard, 10½; K. C. lard, 12¾; Armour's Shield lard, 11¾; Armour's Simon Pure lard, 13; Armour's Vegetole, 10½.

SAUSAGE—Bologna, per lb., 8; bologna, paraffined, per lb., 8½; blood sausage, 9; liver sausage, 7½; Diamond "C" sausage, links and bulk, 12; head cheese, 8½; fresh pork sausage, links, 10; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 10; Spanish pork sausage, 10; Wiener sausage, 9; Frankfurt sausage, 9; New England ham sausage, 12; minced sausage, in sacks, 12; Douglas style sausage, in sacks, 12; German Salami, 24; Milan Salami, 25; Mortadella, 20; Gothear, 25; Star Summer, 25@27; Aries, 25.

SALT—Western, handled through L. A. jobbers. Table salt, cartons, 48s, per case, 1.00; Princess salt, cartons, 20 5s, per case, 1.75; 150-lb. bales, Crown brand, all-sized pockets, per bale, 2.00; Worthington Daily, 50s, per ton, 15.50; 100s, per ton, 14.50; 224s, per ton, 13.50; Crown or Gran. Dairy, 50s, 15.00; 100s, 14.00; Rock and half-ground, 50s, 14.00; 100s, 13.00; granulated and ¾-ground, 100s, 13.00; granulated and ¾-ground, large, per ton, 12.50; ice-cream and evaporated, sheep, 50s, per ton, 14.00; 100s, per ton, 12.00; hide and ice-cream, No. 2, per ton, 13.50; lump, stock, imported, per ton, 21.25. Special prices in car lots.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls., add 10c; ½-bbls., 25c, and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices net cash, less 25c cwt. 15 days. Beet gran., 5.65; western cane and fruit gran., 5.65; C. & H. cane and berry gran., 5.85; Cube A, crushed or fine crushed, 5.90; Candy granulated, 5.25; powdered, 6.00; C. & H. confectioners' A, 5.85; western Con. A, 5.15; Golden C, 5.55; D, 5.45; Bowies 5x powdered, 50-lb. boxes, 4.80; Bowies 5x powdered, ½-bbls., 4.85; Bowies 5x powdered, bbls., 4.80; Magnolia A, 5.20; extra B, 5.05; extra C, 5.25; Dominos, 10.65. Bar sugar, 5.40; Cal. Club, Longs or Shasta, 25-lb. tins, 8.50; 50-lb. boxes, 8.25.

FAMILY FLOUR—Local patents, A1 flour, per bbl., 5.80; Globe flour, 6.25; Select California white wheat: Silver Star flour, 5.80; XXX flour, 4.80; Capitol flour, 5.80; A1 bakers' flour, 5.50; Aurora, 5.40; Mikado, 5.00; Trophy, 4.80; Crown flour, 4.55.

CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN FLOURS—Kansas, 6.25; Mayflower, 4.90; Eclipse, 5.40.

FLOUR—	In boxes.	1-lb. S'ks.	10-lb. S'ks.	25-lb. S'ks.	50-lb. S'ks.
Perf. Pat. Pastry	....	$1.35	....	....	....
Buckwheat flour	....	$3.70	3.50	$3.45	$3.40
Graham flour	....	....	3.00	3.00	2.95
Rye flour or meal	....	....	3.60	3.55	3.50
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	....	....	2.80	2.75	2.70
Oatmeal, ground	4.25	4.25	4.20	4.20	4.15
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	5.20	5.00	4.95	4.90	4.85
Hominy, large or small	4.20	4.00	3.95	3.90	3.85
Cracked wheat	3.20	3.00	3.20	3.15	3.10
Entire wheat flour	....	....	3.00	3.05	3.00
Pearl barley	....	5.50	5.45	5.40	5.40
Split peas, green	5.55	5.65	5.60	5.55	5.50
Split peas, yellow	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40	5.35
Gluten flour	4.15	3.95	3.90	3.85	3.80
Farina	3.90	3.80	3.20	3.15	3.10
Nutrina Gem	4.00	3.80	3.75	3.75	3.70

Rolled wheat, in barrels, net weight 135 lbs. per sack 4.25

Buckwheat flour (bulk, seamless sacks,) 100 lbs. 3.60

Buckwheat flour (pure, seamless sacks,) 100 lbs. 3.75

GRAIN AND FEED—Wheat, per 100 lbs., 1.85; wheat, No. 1, 1.90; wheat, cracked, 2.00; corn, 1.60; corn, Sm. Y., 1.70; cracked corn, 1.85; feed meal, 1.90; bran, heavy, 1.50; rolled barley, 1.65; oilcake meal, 2.20; cotton seed meal, 1.85; cocoanut cake, 1.55; shorts, 1.65; oats, white Oregon, 1.90; oats, red feed California, 2.25; eastern Kaffir corn, 1.55@1.75; K. & P. corn, 1.85; cocoanut meal, 1.60.

	10.	25.	50.	100.
Excelsior Chick Food	$1.25	$2.90	$1.35	$3.00
" Fattening Food	3.35	3.30	3.25	3.20
" Egg Food	.75	....	....	1.80
" Moulting Food	....	....	....	1.80
" Chick Food, 20 1-lb. pkgs., per case	....	....	....	2.75

POPCORN—Rice, shelled, fancy, western, per lb., 5; new ear corn, 2.75@4.00 per 100 lbs.

LINSEED OIL—Boiled, in barrels, 61; in cases, 6c higher on each kind; raw, in barrels, 59.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 77½.

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 14.00@18.00; No. 2, 12.00@14.00; No. 1 wheat hay, 18.00; No. 2, 14.00@15.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 16.00@18.00; No. 2, 13.00@15.00; northern alfalfa, 15.00@17.00; local, 15.00@17.00.

Local Petroleum Prices.

Quotations on petroleum products, f. o. b. tank cars Los Angeles.

GASOLINE AND DISTILLATE—Red Crown gasoline, bulk, 15c per gallon; do. cases, 22c per gallon; No. 1 engine distillate, bulk, 9¼c per gallon; No. 2 engine distillate, bulk, 8¾c per gallon.

FUEL OIL—90@1.05 per barrel.

ILLUMINATING OILS—Water white, per gallon, tank wagons, 9½c; in barrels, 10c; Pearl, in cases, 17½c per gallon; Astral, cases, 17¼c; Eocene, cases, 20½c per gallon; Elaine, cases, 26½c; Star, 17½c per gallon; V. M. & P. naphtha, barrels, 10c; cases, 15c.

THE MARKETS.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

The heavy demand for all vegetables and fruits continued yesterday.

Three hundred and eighty-six cases of fresh eggs were received by members of the exchange. To arrive at closer figures of actual daily receipts of eggs in the city the receipts of the principal retail dealers will hereafter be published as a total. Yesterday approximate receipts outside were 215 cases. Weakness continued in this commodity and the top figures were reduced a cent for fresh candled. Twenty cases of case counts sold at the posted quotation. Eastern storage were put up in small quantities.

Butter receipts were light, totaling only 10,600 pounds. Local offerings were few but there were some good placings of eastern creamery. Dairy, cooking and ladle butter moved slowly. Little cheese was called for and the principal offering was of Tulare. There were no receipts.

The arrivals of potatoes were 1235 sacks. Owing to the large quantity on hand, this amount caused no change in the market which has been on the verge of a decline for two weeks. Highland Burbanks are moving more rapidly than any other variety.

Only 97 sacks of beans were reported and fifty sacks of limas were disposed of. Lentils, black eyes and pinks were offered in good quantities but there were no sales. There were no onion receipts and offerings were restricted to Oregons. Garlic was offered but little taken.

Northern sweets were the only kind put up and the best price on them was $2.50. Receipts were only 22 sacks. The demand is not as heavy as it has been.

Spinach was one of the most plentiful vegetables yesterday but there were also some heavy arrivals of celery from the La Habra and Whittier fields.

Cabbage is being brought in regularly and sells at a cent a pound. The curly variety quoted at two cents and there is a fair demand for it. Jerusalem artichokes sold slowly.

One hundred boxes of fancy Bellefleurs changed hands on 'change. All apples are selling well. Few winter Sickle pears are to be had and red emperors are about the only grapes remaining on the market.

Lard is very strong at present figures and an advance is indicated. Pork is also firm. The fish supply yesterday was exhausted. Corn meal declined five cents for one of the fancy brands.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Fresh California ranch, selected, 25@26; fresh ranch, local, case count, 21@23; eastern, fresh, candled, 20@22; storage, selected, 18@20.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 67½; creamery, firsts, 60@65; creamery, seconds, 55@60; dairy butter, 28; cooking, 24; eastern, extra, 30.

OLEO—Extra fancy, 19@20; choice, 16@21; standard, 14@16; Butterine, 15@21½ in tubs, 1c more for 1-lb. rolls, 1½c for 2-lb. rolls.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 20; Cal. Y. A., 21; storage cheese, 18@19½; fresh, 18½@19; eastern daisies, 18½@19; Longhorns, 18@18½; N. Y. twins, 19@19½; singles, 19@19½; hand, 20; Dom. Swiss, 21; Imp., 32; Limburger, 20; cheddars, 17½@18; brick cream, 20; Dom. tub, 17½; Dom. block, 19.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 3.75; Lady Washington, No. 1, 3.75; small white, No. 1, 3.75@3.85; Limas, No. 1, 5.00@5.75; American lentils, 10@12 per lb.; black eye, 5.00@5.25.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, new stock, 11; blackberries, 50 1-lb. cartons, 16. Citron, fancy, 10-lb. boxes, 25. Currants, imp., fancy, bulk, recleaned, 11; fancy, 50 1-lb. packages, 11½; fancy, 50 ¾-lb. packages, 10. Dates, imported, Fards, fancy, 60s, 8; Fards, fancy, 12s, 9; Golden, fancy, 60s, 6½; Golden, fancy, 30 1-lb. packages, 8. Figs, new, per box, 20 ¾s, 1.60; White, "Medal," cartons, 10 1s, 90; White, "Premier," 10 1s, 1.00; White, "Medal," bricks, 10 1s, 85; White, "Medal," bricks, 50 6-oz., 1.60; White, loose, 50-lb. boxes, fancy, —; White, imported, 40s, 10; White, imported, 12s, 13; black, loose, 25s, 7; Black, loose, sacks, 5. Nectarines, per lb., fancy, 25s, 14. Peaches, fancy, Muirs, 25s, 13½; choice, 25s, 11½; choice, sacks, 11; fancy, peeled, 25s, 25. Pears, fancy, ½s, 25s, 15. Peels, lemon or orange, 10s, 25. Plums, fancy pitted, 25s, 13½. Prunes, fancy San Jose, per lb., 30-40, 25s, 9½; 40-50, 25s, 8½; 50-60, 25s, 7½; 60-70, 25s, 7½; 70-80, 25s, 6¾; 80-90, 25s, 6; 90-100, 25s, 5½. (When packed in 50-lb. boxes, ¼c

ORANGES AND LEMONS.

DAILY CITRUS REPORTS OF EASTERN MARKETS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLEVELAND, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Market is steady. Weather cold. Eight cars sold. Ten cars on track.

NAVELS.

Teal, Cov. Ft. Ex., Covina	$2.00
Pointer, A. C. G. Ft. Ex., Azusa	2.10
Hunter, A. C. G. Ft. Ex., Azusa	1.70
Gold Buckle, R. H. Ft. Ex., E. High	2.25
Hawk, S. A. Ft. Ex., Pomona	1.95
Pine Cone, S. B. Ft. Ex., Highlands	2.45
Carrier, S. B. Ft. Ex., Highlands	2.50
Colonel, Orange Gr. C. Assn.	$2.05
Signal, Stewart Ft. Co.	2.00

LEMONS.

Trail, S. T. Ft. Ex., La Manda	$2.75
Our Beauty, S. T. Ft. Ex., La Manda	1.50

Boston Market

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five cars sold. Weather colder. Market is doing better. Sixteen cars on track.

NAVELS.

Pilgrim, R. J. Richardson	$2.25
Teaparty, ?	2.30
Chess Queen, Ely Gilmore Ft.	2.20
Bishop, Ely Gilmore Ft.	2.00
Pocohontas, T. C. C. Ft. Ex., Zante	2.25
Rose, Red. O. G. Assn.	2.30
Clover, Red. O. G. Assn.	2.20
Paul Revere, ?	2.05
Golden Rule, Riv. Ft. Ex., Riv.	2.25
Hiawatha, T. C. F. Ex., Zante	2.15

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Weather cold. Market weak. Seven cars sold. Five on track. Florida Brights, $2.10; Russets, $2.10.

NAVELS.

Stork, S. A. Ft. Ex., Claremont	$1.90
Hawk, S. A. Ft. Ex., Walnut	1.90
Parrot, S. A. F. Ex., Walnut	1.80

LEMONS.

Pet, S. A. F. Ex., San Dimas	$2.00
Greyhound, S. A. F. Ex., San Dimas	2.80

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is raining. Market firm on good stock. Seven cars sold. Twelve cars on track. Prices low on account of quality of the fruit.

NAVELS.

Golden Orange, Redlands O. G. Assn.	$2.45
Premium, Benchley F. Co.	2.20
Whittier, S. T. F. Ex., Whittier	2.15
Searchlight, S. S. F. Ex., Orange	1.85
Goldfinch, S. S. F. Ex., El Modena	1.85
Golden Gate, Redland O G. Assn.	2.20
Cal. Orange, Riv. Heights O. G. A.	2.15
Pico, S. T. F. Ex., Whittier	2.05
Transcontinental, S. S. F. Ex., El Mo.	1.85

LEMONS.

Squirrel, A. H. F. Ex., Prenda	$2.70
Conqueror, Ind. Fruit Co.	2.45

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Market is weak on account of colder weather.

NAVELS.

Our Farm, S. T. F. Ex., Farm	$1.75
Belt, R. H. F. Ex., E. High	1.75
Hunter, A. C. G. Ex., Glendora	1.55
Jasmine, D. M. F. Ex., Monrovia	2.05
Lochinvar, R. H. F. Ex., E. Highland	2.10
Pointer, A. C. G. Ev., Glendora	2.15
Violet, D. M. F. Ex., Monrovia	2.10

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Four cars navels and two cars lemons sold. Four cars Floridas sold, $1.40 to $2.30; average, $2.00. Weather very cold. Market steady.

NAVELS.

Quail, O. K. F. Ex., O. K.	$2.12
Pico, S. T. F. Ex., Whittier	2.02
Independent, Growers' F. Co.	1.98
Whittier, S. T. F. Ex., Whittier	2.06
Independent, Growers' F. Co.	2.07
Standard, Growers' F. Co.	1.95

LEMONS.

Pet, S. A. F. Ex., San Dimas	$2.52
Sunset, ?, Old Scaly	2.09
Greyhound, S. A. F. Ex., San Dimas	2.36

New York Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Six cars of Navels and one car of mixed citrus fruit sold. Navels are doing better and are in good demand at an advance of from 10 to 15 cents per box. Weather clear and cold.

NAVELS.

	Average.
Partridge, Citrus Union	$1.95
Pocahontas, Randolph Fruit Co.	2.19
Gold Buckle, R. H. F. Ex., Redlands	2.25
Lochinvar, R. H. F. Ex., Redlands	2.10
Stag, A. C. G. Exchange	2.35
Pointer, A. C. G. Exchange	2.29
Orchard, National Orange Co.	2.60
Orchard Standard, National Orange Co.	2.25
Flower, Growers' Fruit Co.	2.56
Flower, Growers' Fruit Co.	2.16
Magnum Bonum, Growers' J. A. Maddock, (T. I.)	2.48
Los Lomas, Growers' J. A. Maddock, (T. I.)	2.30

VALENCIAS.

Magnum Bonum, J. A. Maddock	$2.40
Magnum Bonum, J. A. Maddock	2.20
Cotton Tail, ?	2.15

TANGERINES.

Flower, Growers' F. Co.	$1.35

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

Shipments for Thursday, Jan. 30, were 29 cars of oranges and 17 cars of lemons. Total 5527 cars of which 1007 cars were lemons.

LOS ANGELES-NEVADA EXCHANGE.

INTEREST IS EASING OFF.

MARKET PURELY PROFESSIONAL IN TONE.

Combination Fraction Leads Trading With Strong Evidence of Manipulation—Eastern Orders Said to Be Slack—Johnnie Has Gone to Retirement.

Combination Fraction was easily the feature of yesterday's sessions on the Los Angeles-Nevada Stock Exchange, but the whole proceedings held but little interest. Most of the leaders were neglected and the day closed with recessions in those that commanded attention.

It is very apparent that there is something wrong with the market. The generally expected boom, consequent upon the passage of the Constabulary Bill, which was made much of by brokers as a bull argument, has not materialized in any degree and, in fact, the market has dropped in a marked degree since the legislation became a fact.

Eastern orders seem to be as scarce as hen's teeth and there is certainly some conclusive explanation for such a condition. It is probably contained in the supposition that eastern investors refuse to hurrah at the mode of settlement adopted at Carson City and still believe that the back down of the mine owners means frequent lapses to the turmoil and chaos of a few months ago.

It is evident that the leaders of the western Federation of Miners knew what they were doing when they agreed to let the Constabulary Bill go through the House after drawing the teeth of the mine owners by forcing the abolition of the permit system. The Referendum Act offers the way by which the whole work of the Legislature can be nullified and there is no one who doubts that the agitators can obtain the signatures of 10 per cent. of the voters in Goldfield alone. But, even if the constabulary becomes something more than an organized joke, there is serious danger that the ranks will be filled by the tools of the Federation. And so the mountain has labored and brought forth a mouse, and a weak, sickly, consumptive mouse at that.

Yesterday's market seemed to reflect these fears and there was little doing in a general way, while a large percentage of the business done seemed to be for professional account. Combination Fraction sold to the extent of 10,100 shares during the day. It opened at 89—one point down—touched 85, and then recovered to 87 at the close of the formal. At the informal it started off at previous day's closing—90, and eventually closed fairly strong at that figure. The fluctuations seem to denote that manipulation is going on and there is a shrewd suspicion that the leader of the game is somewhere in San Francisco. Local dealers are merely trailing along in the hope of a scalp.

Tomahawks were out for Daisy, as usual, but the prima donna of the list seemed to hold her own fairly well and came out of the fracas with total transfers of 6000 shares, with a range of from 1.14@1.15 cash. It closed at the lower figure for cash and the seller options dealt in seem to denote the accumulation of a further bear interest.

Consolidated sold in one small block seven and a half points up from last transfer on Thursday. Florence was down five points at 4.90, while the rest of the Goldfield leaders were conspicuous on the sales list by their absence. Two hundred shares of Tonopah Belmont sold at 1.30. Kewanas was firm on one transaction at 52, and Florence Leasing was in fair demand. The balance of the trading was in cheaper issues. Johnnie seems to have completed his toboggan slide and has now disappeared completely into the darkened cellar of neglect and forgetfulness.

LOS ANGELES-NEVADA EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

The closing quotations of the Nevada mining stocks, made yesterday on the Los Angeles-Nevada Mining Stock Exchange, ground floor of the H. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Spring streets, together with the regular call sales and the sales of the afternoon informal call, were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.	Sales.
CALIFORNIA.			
Con. Mines Co.	......	......	1,000
JOHNNIE DISTRICT.			
Johnnie Consolidated	$ .11	$ .11¼	1,000
NEVADA—TONOPAH DISTRICT.			
Mines—			
Belmont	1.30	1.35	200
GOLDFIELD DISTRICT.			
Mines—			
Combination Fraction	.86	......	10,100
Daisy	1.14	1.15	6,000
Diamondfield	.22	......	......
Florence	4.80	4.85	100
Florence L. & M.	.12½	......	7,000
Frances-Mohawk	.30	.35	......
Goldfield Con. Mines	......	5.65	100
Jumbo Extension	.55	.58	......
Preferred prospects—			
Atlanta	.39	.41	500
Baby Florence	.07½	......	12,000
Blue Bull	.30½	.32	......
Diamondfield Triangle	.09½	.09¾	2,000
Goldfield Kewanas	.52	.54	100
Grandma	.11½	.12½	......
Prospects—			
Black Butte Bonanza	.03½	.05	......
Crackerjack	.12½	.14	......
Dixie	.04¾	.05¼	......
Eureka	.02	.02¼	2,000
Gen. Washington	.02	.02½	......
Great Bend Ex.	.05½	......	......
Milltown Fraction	.02¾	.03	5,000
BULLFROG DISTRICT.			
Mines—			
Bonnie Clare	.10¼	.11½	......
Mayflower Con.	.17	.19	1,000
Preferred prospects—			
Montgomery Mt.	......	.19	......
Prospects—			
Lige Harris	.01½	.01¾	......
Montana Bullfrog	.01	.03	......
MANHATTAN DISTRICT.			
Atlantic & Pacific	.00½	.00¾	......
April Fool Ex.	.01¼	.01½	7,000
Manhattan Dexter	.10	......	......
Total sales			55,100

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

DULLNESS IN STOCK MARKET.

LIMITED TRADING ON THE LOCAL EXCHANGE FLOOR.

Several Bonds Weaker Because of Selling Ex-Interest, and Bidding Slack—United States Long-Distance a Trader at an Advance. Oil Stocks Show Fluctuations.

Limited trading in several of the best investment securities characterized the session of the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday. Aside from this, the call was rather uninteresting, demand seeming to be more or less curtailed. Bidding was not as active as on the previous day, and quotations show few changes.

There was a slight weakening in quotations on several of the active bonds, this being caused by the fact that these bonds were ex-interest on the February installment, due today. There are five such in the local list. Associated Oil is one. This closed with little bidding at 79@83. Union Transportation bonds were wanted at 82½, and closed without an offering. This was down four points compared with the close on Thursday. Seaside Water Company bonds are another with interest due Feb. 1. These are always much sought after, although few have been handled on the floor lately. The close was a bid at par, with none offered. Santa Monica Home is another bond selling ex-interest. This closed offered at 90, with no bidding. Home Telephone bonds were not suffering from this cause, and were quoted at 81@85, unchanged from the close of Thursday.

United States Long Distance Telephone stock was in good demand yesterday and the caller succeeded in making two sales of ten shares each, the first for several months in this stock. The price was up, at 43.75; ¾ of a point higher than it has closed at. The close was firm at 43.50@44.50, both the bid and asked showing alterations, the former being up ½, and the latter down a corresponding amount.

The demand for Home Telephone preferred continues strong, but none was sold, and the stock closed down one-half a point, at 51.25@52.25. The common remained unchanged at 10.50@14.00. Edison preferred was weak, closing at 75.00@79.00, down two points on the bid.

Ten shares of Union Oil stock were sold at 201.00, on a buyer-ten contract, and the close quoted the stock at 201.00@202.50, unchanged from Thursday's closing.

Associated Oil was another trader on yesterday's session. Ten shares were sold at 27.62½ cash. The stock closed firm at 27.50@27.87½, the bid showing a decline of ⅛ of a point, while the asked was off ⅛ of a point.

Rice Ranch was again much sought after. The stock closed with an advance of seven points showing, at 95 bid, with none offered. Olinda Land was not traded in, and closed weaker at 10¼@12. Mexican Petroleum was unchanged at 1.25@1.50. Globe Oil was up ½ at 9½@10. Columbia Oil also showed a gain of ½ a cent, closing at 60½@65. The bid for United Petroleum scored a further gain of ten points, closing at 255.00 bid, with the asked at 280.00. Western Union was not offered below 300; 25 points higher than on Thursday, and no bid was made for it.

Little attention was paid the mining call. Only 3000 shares of Consolidated Mines were sold among the listed stocks. The price on this lot was at 1⅝. Fifty shares of the Greene Cananea Copper were handled at 10.00, on a buyer-sixty contract. Others were neglected.

LOS ANGELES-NEVADA EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

[Exclusive service to The Times by the Los Angeles Stock Brokerage Company, members of the Los Angeles-Nevada Mining Exchange.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—A well-defined rumor was current here this morning, to the effect that Combination Fraction was about to be thrown into litigation. The old story of an apex suit, with the Goldfield Consolidated people as the contenders, was the supposed trouble. Combination Fraction was consequently unloaded right and left, and weakened to 85c bid. The rumor, however, was not confirmed and the stock rose as high as 91c, selling freely at this figure. Goldfield Consolidated, Daisy and Florence remained firm both on the regular call and during the informal at about opening prices. The most sensational advance was registered in the Tonopah district, confirmation of the discovery of large ore bodies at the lower levels causing Belmont to advance from 1.12½ to 1.32½ bid, on the close. This advance had a sympathetic effect on the balance of the Tonopah stocks, especially Jim Butler and North Star. The Bullfrog and Manhattan districts both continue to be comparatively inactive. Following are the closing quotations of the San Francisco Stock and Exchange Board, together with the regular call sales*

Goldfield District—	Bid.	Asked.	*Sales.
Adams	$ .08	$ .09	1,100
Atlanta	.39	.40	2,000
Booth	.25	.25	2,000
Black Butte Ex.	.05	.06	......
Blue Bull	.30	.32	300
Blue Bell	.10	.11	......
Columbia Mountain	.24	......	2,000
Conqueror	.08	.08	1,000
Combination Fraction	.89	.90	11,700
Crackerjack	.13	.14	......
Daisy	1.12½	1.17½	3,300
Triangle	.09	.10	......
Diamondfield Con.	.23	.24	......
Dixie	.04	.05	1,000
Empire	.09	.10	......
Florence	4.92½	4.95	......
Florence Ex.	.23	.24	800
Frances Mohawk	......	.35	......
Goldfield Con.	5.60	5.62½	1,250
Kewanas	.53	.54	......
Great Bend	.34	.35	2,000
Great Bend Annex	.04	......	......
Great Bend Extension	.05	.06	5,000
Jumbo Extension	.57	.59	......
Kendall	.21	.22	......
Lone Star	.12	.13	500
Lou Dillon	.05	.06	......
Milltown Fraction	.02	.03	5,000
Nevada Goldfield	.08	.09	......
Oro	.14	.16	......
Red Top Extension	.16	.17	......
Red Hills	.39	.41	......
Sandstorm	.27	.28	3,000
St. Ives	.51	.52	2,700
Silver Pick	.27	.28	......
Vernal	.07	......	......
Yellow Tiger	.20	......	......
Tonopah District—			
Belmont	1.32½	1.35	4,700
Jim Butler	.41	.43	4,700
Midway	.82	......	200
Montana	1.82½	1.85	200
MacNamara	.41	.42	......
North Star	.19	.21	6,000
Tonopah Mining	5.10	5.15	200
Tonopah Extension	1.20	......	......
West End	.31	.32	200
Rescue	.16	.17	1,000
Bullfrog District—			
Bullfrog Mining	.08	......	......
Bullfrog Nat'l Bank	.13	.14	......
Bonnie Clare	.11	.13	......
Golden Scepter	.07	.08	2,000
Homestake-King	.49	.50	2,100
Montgomery Mt.	.18	.19	1,000
Mayflower Con.	.18	.19	......
Original Bullfrog	.04	.05	4,000
Tramp Con.	.17	.18	1,100
Yankee Girl	.03	.05	......
Manhattan District—			
Little Grey	.09	.10	......
Manhattan Con.	.21	.22	......
Manhattan Dexter	.11	.12	1,000
Mustang	.11	.12	1,000
Seyler Humphrey	.05	.06	......
Stray Dog	.11	......	......
Other districts—			
Fairview Eagle	.80	......	......
Johnnie Con.	.11	.12	......
Nevada Hills	3.22½	3.25	100
Pittsburgh Silver Peak	1.25	1.30	1,000
Round Mountain	.80	.87	......
Thanksgiving	.25	......	......

*Regular call sales.

GENERAL EASTERN.

WHEAT SCORES BIG DECLINE.

DROP OF ABOUT THREE CENTS PER BUSHEL.

Announcement at the Opening That Shipments from Argentina This Week Were the Heaviest in the History of That Country Causes Sharp Break in Prices.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—When it was announced at the opening of the wheat market that the shipments from Argentina were 5,048,000 bushels, the largest ever exported in any week from that country, the market broke badly. Large holders sold out, in some cases, apparently regardless of prices. Pit traders joined in these selling movements, which resulted in an almost demoralized condition. All other grain gossip was ignored. Prices at the opening were about one cent lower compared with the final quotation of yesterday, and the decline continued until May had touched 95 1-4, which was more than three cents below the close of yesterday. A small part of the loss was regained during the last few minutes of trading, but the close was weak. May opened 1-2@3-8 to 1@1 1-8 lower at 97¼ to 98, sold off to 95¼ and closed at 95 3-4. The violent decline in wheat caused a weak market for corn. A decreased inquiry for cash corn was also a depressing influence. The market closed weak. May corn opened ¼ to ⅛ lower at 60 to 60¼, sold off to 58⅝, and closed at 58⅝. Oats were also bearishly affected by the break in wheat. Prices being off 1-2 to 1 5-8. Primary receipts were larger than for the corresponding time last year, and this weakened the market. May opened unchanged to 1-8 lower at 52 5-8 to 52 3-4, sold off to 51 1-8 and closed at 51 1-4. Local receipts were 119 cars. Provisions opened firm because of higher prices for live hogs, but the market yielded along with grain. Pork suffered the heaviest loss. The May delivery closed 45 cents lower; lard was off 17½; ribs were 20@22½ lower.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 1.06@1.08; No. 3, 92@1.07; No. 2 red, 91¼@95¼; No. 2 corn, 57@57½; No. 2 yellow, 58¼@59; No. 2 oats, 49¼; No. 3 white, 48@51; No. 2 rye, 73; fair to choice malting barley, 82@92; No. 1 northwestern flaxseed, 1.19½; prime timothy seed, 4.25; clover, contract grades, 13.75; short ribs, sides (loose,) 6.00@6.37½; mess pork, per bbl., 11.75@11.87½; lard, per 100 lbs., 7.45; short clear sides (boxed,) 6.50@6.75; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.35.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	27,000	28,800
Wheat, bushels	17,000	56,300
Corn, "	467,100	322,000
Oats, "	224,000	247,000
Rye, "	13,000	4,300
Barley, "	59,400	18,500

Dairy Markets.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was firm; creamery, 21@32; dairy, 20@28; eggs, steady at mark, cases included, 21@22; firsts, 22½; prime firsts, 23½; extras, 25½; cheese, 11@13.

Grain and Provisons.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 31—Following is the range of prices today:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	97.4@98	98	95.2	95.6
July	93.4@94	94	92.1	92.3
September	91.2	91.3	90	90.1
Corn—				
May	60@60.2	60.2	58.4	58.6
July	58.5@58.6	58.6	57.2	57.3
September	58.1@58.3	58.3	57.1	57.1
Oats—				
May	52.5@52.6	52.6	51.1	51.2
July	45.2	45.3	44.1	44.1
New May	49.3	49.7	49.2	49.2
Pork—				
January	.....	.....	.....	11.72
May	12.75@12.77	12.77	12.10	12.22
Lard—				
January	.....	.....	.....	7.45
May	7.85	7.85	7.65	7.65
Ribs—				
January	.....	.....	.....	6.25
May	6.82	6.82	6.52	6.55

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The market for evaporated apples was firm, and some demand is reported for export. Fancy are quoted at 10½@11; choice at 9½; prime, at 8¼@8¾, and 1906 fruit at 7@10½. The statistical station of prunes is said to be strong, but the demand is light, and the tone of the market barely steady. Quotations range from 5¼ to 13 for California fruit, and from 6½ to 7¾ for Oregons, 40s to 30s. Apricots are dull, but firm, with choice quoted at 21@23; extra choice at 23@25; fancy, 24@26. Peaches, unchanged, with choice quoted at 10@11½; extra choice at 12¼@13½; fancy at 13@13½; extra fancy at 14@14½. Raisins are dull, quotations ranging from 6½ to 7½ for loose muscatels, 6¼@8¾ for seeded raisins, and at 1.65@1.75 for London layers.

New York Cotton Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The market this morning was strong on a continued good spot demand from Liverpool, and the East, and reports of firm markets in South. The reaction was checked, first by the news and bank suspension, and then by unfavorable advices from Washington. The bank suspension was believed to mark the end of this aftermath panic.

Local feeling continues as pessimistic as ever, but the market shows a good resistance around 11 cents, and Fall River was buying both March and May on the decline. We consider that in view of the news, the market today held remarkably well, and the short interest has been somewhat increased during the day, though business was somewhat restricted.

Rain was indicated for today for the belt in general.

Following is the range of prices today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	11.01	11.05	11.01	10.97
March	11.13	11.20	11.05	11.08
May	11.06	11.15	11.09	11.04
July	10.90	10.94	10.83	10.85

Boston Copper Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—The copper list held remarkably well today in the face of all the adverse news, political, and otherwise, affecting general speculation. There continues to be a good small investment demand for the better class of dividend-payers and we look for ultimately much higher prices, with a return of a better demand for the metal, which, however, is not yet indicated either by domestic or foreign quotations, the net price changes being small and unimportant.

The closing quotations were as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Adventure	2	2¼
Arcadian	4½	5
Atlantic	12½	13
Bingham Con.	5¾	6
Boston Con.	16¼	16½
Balaklala	2½	2¾
Butte Coalition	19½	19¾
Calumet & Arizona	115	...
Calumet & Hecla	665	670
Con. Mercur	30	39
Copper Range	64	64¼
Daly West	9¼	9½
Elm River	1¼	1½
Franklin	9½	10
Greene-Cananea	9¾	3
Greene Con.	85	90
Helvetia	3¾	4
Isle Royale	24½	24¾
Lasalle	13¼	13¾
Massachusetts	3¾	4
Mexican Con.	6½	6¼
Michigan	11½	12¼
Mohawk	55	56
Nevada Con.	10½	11
North Butte	50	50¼
Old Colony	20	...
Old Dominion	28¾	29
Osceola	85	90
Parrot	13	13¼
Quincy	87	90
Rhode Island	4	4½
Shannon	12¼	12½
Santa Fe	2½	2¾
Tamarack	....	72
Trinity	15¼	15½
United Copper	6	6¼
U. S. Smelting	33½	34
U. S. Smelting pfd	38¾	39
Utah Con.	32¾	33
Winona	5¼	5½
Wyandotte	90	91
Wolverine	125	130
Utah Copper	26¾	27

The close on the curb stocks was as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Bingham Cent.	50	60
Boston Consolidated	16¼	16½
Butte & London	1⅜	1½
Cumberland Ely	3	3¼
Dominion Copper	2¼	2½
East Butte	....	....
Furnace Creek	31	33
Giroux	3¾	4¼
Greene G. & S.	1	1¼
McKinley	1	1¼
Nevada-Utah	4½	4¾
Nipissing	6¾	7
Superior & Pittsburgh	12½	13

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Cattle—Receipts, about 2500; market, steady. Beeves, 3.60@6.10; cows and heifers, 1.70@4.60; Texans, 3.30@4.00; calves, 5.00@7.00; westerns, 2.70@6.00; stockers and feeders, 2.60@4.60. Hogs—Receipts, about 22,000; market 5@10c higher; light, 4-10@4.40; mixed, 4.20@4.52½; heavy, 4.20@4.55; rough, 4.20@4.30; pigs, 3.60@4.45; bulk of sales, 4.30@4.45. Sheep—Receipts, about 4000; strong; natives, 4.25@5.60; westerns, 3.25@5.60; yearlings, 4.90@5.60; lambs, 5.00@7.15; westerns, 5.00@7.20.

London Copper Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

LONDON, Jan. 31.—There was a slight improvement in the copper metal market today. Spots were quoted at the opening at an advance of 2s. 6d. at £61, 5s. Futures were up the same amount at £61, 13s. 6d.

The close was weaker and easy with spots at £61, 5s, a decline of 2s. 6d. Futures were at £61, 15s, a decline of 2s. 6d. Sales totaled 150 tons of spots and 500 tons of futures.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 31.—The cotton market opened unchanged to 1½ points down, on near and 2½ to 6½ down on distant positions. At 12:30 the market was quiet, and net changes were unimportant. Spots were quiet and 4 points down. Middling Upland was at 6.29 on sales of 6000 bales. Imports totaled 10,000 bales, all American cotton.

Chicago Closing Prices.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31.—Close, wheat, May, 95 3-4; July, 92 3-8; September, 90 1-8. Corn, May, 58 3-4; July, 57 3-8; September, 57 1-8@57 1-4. Oats, May, old, 51 1-4; May, 49 1-4; July, old, 44 1-8; July, 42 3-4; September, 36 7-8. Rye, cash, 80@81. Barley, cash, 75@90. Timothy and clover, nothing doing.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Jan 31.—Sugar—Raw, quiet; fair refining, 3.25; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.75; molasses sugar, 3.00; refined, steady; crushed, 5.60; powdered, 5.00; granulated, 4.90. Coffee steady; No. 7 Rio, steady, 8¼; No. 4 Santos, 8¾.

New York General Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Wheat—Spot, weak; options, 2@2¾c net lower. May, 1.03¼@1.03⅝, closed, 1.03 15-16; July closed, 1.00⅝. Hops dull; hides, steady; wool and petroleum steady.

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Coffee futures closed steady, net unchanged to 5 points higher. Spot coffee, steady; No. 7 Rio, 6¼; No. 4 Santos, 8¼; mild coffee, steady; Cordova, 9½@13.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 31.—Wool, steady; medium grades combing and clothing, 21@22; light fine, 19@20; heavy fine, 13@16; tub washed, 28@35.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Butter, firm; process, common to special, 18@34½. Cheese, firm, unchanged. Eggs, easy, with firsts quoted at [illegible]

Liverpool Wheat Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 31.—Close, wheat, March, 7s. 4⅝d; May, 7s. 4 5-8d; July, 7s. 5 3-8d.

Liverpool Hop Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 31.—Hops in London, (Pacific Coast,) steady, £2@£3.

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THE WEATHER

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.
Boston	6	6	2	New York	14	6
Washington	24	12	13	Buffalo	[illegible]	[illegible]
Pittsburgh	24	12	15	Cincinnati	26	20
Chicago	26	22	24	St. Paul	[illegible]	[illegible]
St. Louis	38	24	31	Jacksonville	[illegible]	[illegible]
El Paso	60	40	50	New Orleans	[illegible]	[illegible]
Los Angeles	60	43	52	Seattle	38	30

*The maximum is for day before yesterday, the minimum for yesterday. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 31.—[Reported by A. B. Wollaber, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.04; at 5 p.m., 30.04. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 46 deg. and 55 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 79 per cent.; 5 p.m., 65 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 7 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity [illegible] miles. Maximum temperature, 59 deg.; minimum, 42 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—The storm central yesterday over Wyoming and Colorado has moved southeastward, and is now over Texas and Oklahoma. Under its influence, rain or snow has fallen throughout the Mississippi Valley and adjacent territory, precipitation being reported at several points this morning. High pressure and clear, cold weather are reported from the North Atlantic and the New England States. The pressure is falling on the Pacific Slope, and the indications point to increasing cloudiness for Los Angeles and vicinity during the next thirty-six hours, possibly with showers by Saturday. A light shower passed over Southern California Thursday morning, giving .02 of an inch at Los Angeles and .08 of an inch at San Diego. Light frost formed at Los Angeles this morning.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Increasing cloudiness tonight, possibly showers Saturday; variable winds.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 31.—Rainfall data:

Stations—	Past 24 hours.	Seasonal to date.	Normal
Eureka	.05	22.19	26.7[illegible]
Red Bluff	Trace	10.65	[illegible]
Sacramento	....	9.43	[illegible]
Mt. Tamalpais	.02	11.[illegible]	17.7[illegible]
San Francisco	Trace	10.04	12.[illegible]
San Jose	....	7.46	*
Fresno	....	3.32	5.1[illegible]
San Luis Obispo	....	12.80	10.1[illegible]
Los Angeles	....	7.11	8.6[illegible]
San Diego	....	4.98	5.1[illegible]

*No normals.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—The pressure is beginning to fall rapidly over California north of San Francisco. A moderate storm will probably develop on the northern coast and cause rain, with brisk to high southerly winds, from the Tehachepi north. Cold weather prevails in Nevada and Utah, and conditions are favorable for moderately heavy snow in the Sierras Saturday. Southeast storm warnings are displayed from San Francisco northward. Forecast:

San Francisco and vicinity: Rain Saturday; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

Santa Clara Valley: Rain Saturday; brisk to high southerly winds.

Sacramento Valley: Rain Saturday; high southerly winds.

San Joaquin Valley: Increasing cloudiness with rain Saturday; brisk south winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy Saturday; rain by night; light easterly winds, changing to fresh southerly.

Arizona: Generally fair Saturday and Sunday.

YUMA (Ariz.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Geological Survey.] Gauge height Colorado River, 18.40 feet; yesterday, 18.50 feet.

SHIPPING.

PORT LOS ANGELES, SAN PEDRO.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamer Gray's Harbor, Capt. Anfindsen, from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco and Santa Barbara.

Steamer Wellesley, Capt. Lindqvist, from Everett, via Redondo.

Steamer Brooklyn, Capt. Henrickson, from Fort Bragg, via San Francisco and Port Los Angeles.

Steamer Alcatraz, Capt. Fredrickson, from Greenwood.

Steamer Whittier, Capt. Seaman, from Port Harford.

SAILED—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamer Fair Oaks, Capt. Peterson, for Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.

Steamer Brooklyn, Capt. Henrickson, for Fort Bragg.

Steamer James S. Higgins, Capt. Eliasson, for Fort Bragg.

Steamer J. B. Stetson, Capt. Bonnifield, for Astoria, via San Francisco.

Steamer Daisy Freeman, Capt. Johnson, for Willapa Harbor, via San Francisco.

Schooner Alert, Capt. Krebs, for Gray's Harbor, in ballast.

IN PORT—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamer Gray's Harbor, Crescent wharf.
Steamer Wellesley, Crescent wharf.
Steamer Brooklyn, Crescent wharf.
Steamer Alcatraz, So. Cal. wharf.
Steamer Whittier, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer Francis H. Leggett, Nat'l L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Ravalli, Nat'l L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Jim Butler, Crescent wharf.
German steamer Eva, Salt Lake wharf.
French bark Marechal Davout, S. P. wharf.
Barkentine Newsboy, S. P. wharf.
Bark Alden Besse, S. P. wharf.
British ship Howard D. Troop, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Ensign, So. Cal. wharf.
Schooner Ludlow, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Cecelia Sudden, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Wm. Renton, E. K. Wood wharf.
Schooner Meteor, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Winslow, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Queen, Crescent wharf.
Schooner Azalea, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Fearless, E. K. Wood wharf.
Schooner Fred J. Wood, E. K. Wood wharf.
Schooner Stimson, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Henry Wilson, S. P. wharf.

TO LEAVE—SATURDAY, FEB. 1.

Steamer Jim Butler, Capt. Olsen, for Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.

ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

Steamship Roanoke, from Portland, via Eureka and San Francisco.

Steamer Coronado, from Hoquiam, via San Francisco.

Steamer Temple E. Dorr, from Eureka, via San Francisco.

Steamer Raymond, from Hoquiam, via San Francisco.

Schooner Metha Nelson, from Everett.
Schooner Bertha Dolbeer, from Eureka.
Schooner Muriel, from Eagle Harbor.

COMING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British steamer Beechley, Capt. Forsyth, 3600 tons, out thirty-three days from Antwerp.

The passenger steamer Hermosa makes daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

Movement of "Mosquito Fleet."

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Launches Orient, Music and Eagle, from Long Beach, with passengers.

SAILED.

Launches Orient, Music and Eagle, for Long Beach, with passengers.

Eight sailboats for fishing banks, to return with fish for local wholesalers.

Tide Table for San Pedro.

			High.	Low.
Saturday,	Feb.	1	3:14 a.m.	3:05 a.m.
			3:44 p.m.	2:05 p.m.
Sunday,	"	2	3:36 a.m.	2:42 a.m.
			10:26 p.m.	3:15 p.m.
Monday,	"	3	9:46 a.m.	3:27 a.m.
			11:03 p.m.	4:19 p.m.
Tuesday,	"	4	10:33 a.m.	4:29 p.m.
			11:49 p.m.	5:01 p.m.
Wednesday,	"	5	11:20 a.m.	6:05 a.m.
				5:42 p.m.
Thursday,	"	6	0:36 a.m.	6:49 a.m.
			12:10 p.m.	6:21 p.m.
Friday,	"	7	0:39 a.m.	7:36 a.m.
			1:13 p.m.	7:22 p.m.
Saturday,	"	8	1:48 a.m.	8:33 a.m.
			2:35 p.m.	8:16 p.m.
Sunday,	"	9	2:40 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
			4:36 p.m.	9:00 p.m.
Monday,	"	10	4:02 a.m.	11:40 a.m.
			6:37 p.m.	10:37 p.m.
Tuesday,	"	11	5:11 a.m.	12:41 p.m.
			7:49 p.m.	11:30 p.m.

Port Items.

WEATHER: Clear at 5 p.m.; wind southwest, velocity 11 miles.

After having discharged a part cargo of lumber at Santa Barbara, the steamer Gray's Harbor, Capt. Anfindsen, arrived this morning, bringing 500,000 feet of lumber consigned to the Southern California Lumber Company.

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The steamer Alcatraz, Capt. Fredrickson, arrived today from Greenwood, bringing 290,000 feet of lumber consigned to the Southern California Lumber Company.

The schooner Alert, Capt. Krebs, completed the discharge of a lumber cargo for the E. K. Wood Lumber Company and sailed today for Gray's Harbor, in ballast, to reload.

The launch Kea, Capt. Vina, has sailed for Ensenada, via San Diego, to fish for lobsters for the San Pedro Canning Company.

REDONDO.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamer Queen, Capt. Thomas, from San Francisco and way ports.

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.		Max.	Min.	Mean.
Boston	4	4	3	New York	14	4	9
Washington	26	12	19	Buffalo	8	2	5
Pittsburgh	24	12	18	Cincinnati	36	20	28
Chicago	26	22	24	St. Paul	16	0	8
St. Louis	38	24	31	Jacksonville	56	48	52
El Paso	60	40	50	New Orleans	66	54	60
Los Angeles	60	42	51	Seattle	38	26	32

*The maximum is for day before yesterday; the minimum for yesterday. The mean is the average temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 31.—[Reported by A. B. Wollaber, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.04; at 5 p.m., 30.04. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 48 deg. and 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 79 per cent.; 5 p.m., 65 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 7 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 3 miles. Maximum temperature, 60 deg.; minimum, 42 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level.

Weather Conditions.—The storm central yesterday over Wyoming and Colorado has moved southeastward, and is now over Texas and Oklahoma. Under its influence, rain or snow has fallen throughout the Mississippi Valley and adjacent territory, precipitation being reported at several points this morning. High pressure and clear, cold weather are reported from the North Atlantic and the New England States. The pressure is falling on the Pacific Slope, and the indications point to increasing cloudiness for Los Angeles and vicinity during the next thirty-six hours, possibly with showers by Saturday. A light shower passed over Southern California Thursday morning, giving .02 of an inch at Los Angeles and .30 of an inch at San Diego. Light frost formed at Los Angeles this morning.

Forecasts.—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Increasing cloudiness tonight; possibly showers Saturday; variable winds.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 31.—Rainfall data:

Stations—	Past 24 hours.	Seasonal to date.	Normal.
Eureka	.05	23.19	24.52
Red Bluff	Trace	10.65	14.02
Sacramento	....	8.43	10.81
Mt. Tamalpais	.02	15.06	12.75
San Francisco	Trace	10.04	12.03
San Jose	....	7.44	*
Fresno	....	3.32	5.15
San Luis Obispo	....	12.90	10.55
Los Angeles	....	7.11	8.65
San Diego	....	4.96	5.17

*No normals.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—The pressure is beginning to fall rapidly over California north of San Francisco. A moderate storm will probably develop on the northern coast and cause rain, with brisk to high southerly winds, from the Tehachepi north. Cold weather prevails in Nevada and Utah, and conditions are favorable for moderately heavy snow in the Sierras Saturday. Southeast storm warnings are displayed from San Francisco northward. Forecast:

San Francisco and vicinity: Rain Saturday; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

Santa Clara Valley: Rain Saturday; brisk to high southerly winds.

Sacramento Valley: Rain Saturday; high southerly winds.

San Joaquin Valley: Increasing cloudiness with rain Saturday; brisk south winds.

Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy Saturday; rain by night; light easterly winds, changing to fresh southerly.

Arizona: Generally fair Saturday and Sunday.

YUMA (Ariz.) Jan. 31.—[Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Geological Survey.] Gauge height Colorado River, 18.40 feet; yesterday, 18.50 feet.

SHIPPING.

PORT LOS ANGELES, SAN PEDRO.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamer Gray's Harbor, Capt. Anfindsen, from Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco and Santa Barbara.

Steamer Wellesley, Capt. Lindquist, from Everett, via Redondo.

Steamer Brooklyn, Capt. Henrickson, from Fort Bragg, via San Francisco and Port Los Angeles.

Steamer Alcatraz, Capt. Fredrickson, from Greenwood.

Steamer Whittier, Capt. Seaman, from Port Harford.

SAILED—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamer Fair Oaks, Capt. Peterson, for Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.

Steamer Brooklyn, Capt. Henrickson, for Fort Bragg.

Steamer James S. Higgins, Capt. Eliasson, for Fort Bragg.

Steamer J. B. Stetson, Capt. Bonnifield, for Astoria, via San Francisco.

Steamer Daisy Freeman, Capt. Johnson, for Willapa Harbor, via San Francisco.

Schooner Alert, Capt. Krebs, for Gray's Harbor, in ballast.

IN PORT—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamer Gray's Harbor, Crescent wharf.
Steamer Wellesley, Crescent wharf.
Steamer Brooklyn, Crescent wharf.
Steamer Alcatraz, So. Cal. wharf.
Steamer Whittier, Salt Lake wharf.
Steamer Francis H. Leggett, Nat'l L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Ravalli, Nat'l L. Co. wharf.
Steamer Jim Butler, Crescent wharf.
German steamer Eva, Salt Lake wharf.
French bark Marechal Davout, S. P. wharf.
Barkentine Newsboy, S. P. wharf.
Bark Alden Besse, S. P. wharf.
British ship Howard D. Troop, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Ensign, So. Cal. wharf.
Schooner Ludlow, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Cecilia Sudden, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Wm. Renton, E. K. Wood wharf.
Schooner Meteor, S. P. L. Co. wharf.
Schooner Winslow, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Queen, Crescent wharf.
Schooner Azalea, Salt Lake wharf.
Schooner Fearless, E. K. Wood wharf.
Schooner Fred J. Wood, E. K. Wood wharf.
Schooner Stimson, S. P. wharf.
Schooner Henry Wilson, S. P. wharf.

TO LEAVE—SATURDAY, FEB. 1.

Steamer Jim Butler, Capt. Olsen, for Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco.

ON WAY TO THIS PORT.

Steamship Roanoke, from Portland, via Eureka and San Francisco.

Steamer Coronado, from Hoquiam, via San Francisco.

Steamer Temple E. Dorr, from Eureka, via San Francisco.

Steamer Raymond, from Hoquiam, via San Francisco.

Schooner Metha Nelson, from Everett.
Schooner Bertha Dolbeer, from Eureka.
Schooner Muriel, from Eagle Harbor.

COMING FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

British steamer Beechley, Capt. Forsyth, 2469 tons, out thirty-three days from Antwerp.

The passenger steamer Hermosa makes daily trips to Santa Catalina Island and return.

Movement of "Mosquito Fleet."

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Launches Orient, Music and Eagle, from Long Beach, with passengers.

SAILED.

Launches Orient, Music and Eagle, for Long Beach, with passengers.

Eight sailboats for fishing banks, to return with fish for local wholesalers.

Tide Table for San Pedro.

			High.	Low.
Saturday,	Feb.	1	8:14 a.m.	1:55 a.m.
			9:45 p.m.	2:09 p.m.
Sunday,	"	2	9:00 a.m.	2:42 a.m.
			10:26 p.m.	3:49 p.m.
Monday,	"	3	9:46 a.m.	3:27 a.m.
			11:08 p.m.	4:29 p.m.
Tuesday,	"	4	10:23 a.m.	4:13 a.m.
			11:40 p.m.	5:07 p.m.
Wednesday,	"	5	11:20 a.m.	5:05 a.m.
				5:42 p.m.
Thursday,	"	6	0:26 a.m.	6:00 a.m.
			12:20 p.m.	6:20 p.m.
Friday,	"	7	0:50 a.m.	6:58 a.m.
			1:11 p.m.	7:22 p.m.
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REDONDO.

ARRIVED—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Steamer Queen, Capt. Thomas, from San Francisco and way ports.

SAILED—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

No departures today.

IN PORT—FRIDAY, JAN. 31.

Tug Redondo, at pier No. 1.
Schooner A. M. Campbell, at pier No. 2.
Schooner Endeavor, at pier No. 2.
Schooner Alice McDonald, at anchorage.
Schooner F. S. Redfield, at anchorage.
Steamer Queen, at pier No. 1.

TO ARRIVE—SATURDAY, FEB. 1.

Steamer George Loomis, from Point Richmond.

SUNDAY, Feb. 2—Steamer Queen, from San Diego.

MONDAY, Feb. 3—Steamer Santa Rosa, from San Francisco and way ports.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 5—Steamer Santa Rosa, from San Diego.

FRIDAY, Feb. 7—Steamer Queen, from San Francisco and way ports.

TO SAIL—SATURDAY, FEB. 1.

Steamer Queen, for San Diego.
Steamer George Loomis, for Point Richmond.

SUNDAY, Feb. 2—Steamer Queen, for San Francisco and way ports.

TUESDAY, Feb. 4—Steamer Santa Rosa, for San Diego.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 5—Steamer Santa Rosa, for San Francisco and way ports.

SAILING FOR REDONDO.

British steamer Leonides, from Mororan, Japan.

Norwegian steamer Aker, from Mororan, Japan.

Schooner Allen A., from Gray's Harbor.
Steamer Santa Rosa, from San Francisco.
Barkentine J. M. Griffith, from Columbia River.
Schooner King Cyrus, from Columbia River.
Schooner W. H. Smith, from Tacoma.
Schooner W. J. Patterson, from Gray's Harbor.
Schooner Irene, from Columbia River.
Schooner J. H. Bruce, from Willapa.
Barkentine Retriever, from Winslow.
Schooner Ethel Zane, from Olympia.
Schooner Salvator, from Tacoma.
Steamer George Loomis, from Point Richmond.
Steamer Queen, from San Francisco.
Barkentine C. F. Crocker, from Tacoma.
Schooner R. E. Godfrey, from Tacoma.
Schooner A. M. Baxter, from Tacoma.
Steamer Nome City, from Portland.
Steamer J. S. Higgins, from Fort Bragg.
Steamer J. Marhoffer, from Gray's Harbor.

Notes.

The steamer Queen arrived this evening from San Francisco and way ports with 200 tons of miscellaneous freight for local and interior consignees. She is scheduled to sail tomorrow morning for San Diego.

SHARES AND MONEY.

MESSAGE HAS SLIGHT EFFECT.

DULLNESS IS FEATURE OF THE STOCK MARKET.

No Radical Shifting of Ownership of Securities Follows the Publication of the Chief Executive's Communication to Congress—Professionals Make Move.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—It would be difficult to declare any well-informed opinion of the outlook for business prosperity or the future values of securities from the desultory drift of prices and the insignificant dealings in today's stock market.

It was assumed during the dull period of the morning that the appearance of the President's message was awaited, but when its publication was followed by dullness it was decided that no radical shifting of ownership of stocks would be prompted by the communication of the Chief Executive's views to Congress. Prices hardened immediately after the circulation of the printed reports of the message, but it was obvious that this was a professional movement on the part of those who had sold stocks yesterday on the supposed direction taken by the expressed animosity of the document were seeking the occasion of its publication to get their stocks back again.

The late afternoon presented an appearance of almost complete stagnation in the market. Operations in a few special stocks were without influence on the general market and some of the most influential stocks in the list moved in contrary directions, illustrating the movements. In one case this was due to the movements. In one case this fax due to the transfer of a considerable speculative account from one stock to another by selling the one and rebuying the other, sales of Pennsylvania being made against purchases of Reading. There was an attempt to rouse interest in the United States Steel stocks, and connect a rise in their prices with the consultations among the leaders in the steel business which were in progress in this city yesterday.

Preliminary estimates of the week's currency movement indicated another large addition to cash holdings of the New York clearinghouse banks, although the flow of funds from the interior appears to be on a much diminished scale from that of last week and the week before. The end-of-the-month requirements, coming together with the special demand of a Friday at the stock exchange to carry over loans until the following Monday, had a probable effect on the ease of the call money market. There seems to be a feeling of willingness by the combined clearinghouse banks to see the weaker members drop out without further extra customary means to tide them over, which argues a confidence in exemption from harm to the general banking position that is in itself a tribute to its strength.

The official announcement of a coming issue of $50,000,000 of New York City 4½ bonds offered material for much conjecture as to the possible success of the flotation and the average premium which may be obtained. The ready absorption of the whole amount is taken for granted, but the price they may bring may have an important bearing as an index of the present eagerness of capital to seek an investment on the prospect for other intended capital issues.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $4,350,000. United States 4s, registered, declined ¼ per cent. on call.

New York Bond Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Following are the closing quotations and the total sales in the bond market today:

U. S. government bonds—	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 2s reg., 1930	103¾	104¼
U. S. 2s coup., 1930	103¾	104¼
U. S. 3s reg., 1908	100¾	101¼
U. S. 3s coup., 1908	101½	102¼
U. S. 3s, small bonds	100¾	
U. S. 4s reg., 1925	118	120
U. S. 4s coup., 1925	120¾	122
Panama Canal bds., 2s reg.	103	
Philippine 4s	.....	110½
Government and State bonds—		
N. Y. City 4½s, 1957	107	107¼
Imp. Jap., 1st Ser., 4½s	90¼	91
Imp. Jap., 2nd Ser., 4½s	87½	88
Imp. Jap. 4s	79	80
Railway and industrial—		
American Tobacco 6s	103½	104
American Tobacco 4s	68¼	68¾
Atchison Gen. 4s	100	100½
Atchison Adj. 4s	88	89
Atchison Con. 4s	85½	89
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	101	102
Brooklyn R. T. 4s	74	74½
Chesapeake & Ohio 4½s	101	101¼
C., R. I. & St. P., Col. 4s	61½	62
Colorado Midland 4s	60	61
Colorado & Southern 4s	90	91
Inter-Met. 4½s	61½	61¾
M., K. & T., 1st 4s	97½	96
M., K. & T., 2nd 4s	83½	84
Missouri Pacific 5s, 1917	.....	
Northern Pacific 4s	100¼	
N. Y. Central 3½s	88½	90½
Oregon Short Line 5s	109	
Oregon Short Line 4s	89½	90
Pacific Coast Co. 5s	103	105
Pennsylvania 3½s, 1912	94	94½
Pennsylvania 3½s, 1915	90¼	90½
Reading 4s	90	90½
Rio Grande Western 4s	80	91
St. L., M. & S., 5s	108	108½
St. L. & S. F. 5s	106	
St. L. & S. F. rfg. 4s	73	73½
Southern Pacific Col. 4s	80¼	
Southern Pacific rfg. 4s	91¼	91¾
Union Pacific 1st 4s	101	101¼
Union Pacific Cvt. 4s	86½	87
U. S. Steel Sinking Fd. 5s	88½	88¾
C. B. & Q. 4s	95½	95¾

Total sales of bonds today were $4,053,000.

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

BOSTON, Jan. 31.—Closing prices:

Money—		A. A. Chem. pfd.	84
Call loans	5@6	Am. Pneu. Tube.	4¼
Time loans	5@6	Am. Sugar	114
Bonds—		Am. Sugar pfd.	113¾
Atchison Adj. 4s	*88	Am. Tel. & Tel.	107½
Atchison 4s	89¾	Am. Woolen	18¾
Mex. Cen. 4s	**34	Am. Woolen pfd.	85
Railroads—		Dom. I. & S.	15
Atchison	72¾	Ed. Electric Illu.	208
Atchison pfd.	87¾	Gen. Electric	119½
Boston & Albany	199	Mass. Electric	11½
Boston & Maine	128	Mass. Elec. pfd.	48
Boston Elev.	**130	Mass. Gas	52
Fitchburg pf.	120	United Fruit	117½
Mexican Central	18¼	U. Shoe Mach.	44½
N. Y. N. H. & H.	135	U. Shoe M. pfd.	25½
Union Pacific	122¾	U. S. Steel	29½
Miscellaneous—		U. S. Steel pfd.	92¾
Am. Arge. Chem.	17¾		

*Bid. **Asked.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Today's statement of the treasury balances shows: Available cash balance, $263,346,464; gold coin and bullion, $36,422,618; gold certificates, $44,347,720.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—No change was reported in the London tin market, with spot quoted at £124 5s, and futures at £125 5s. Locally, the market was dull and unchanged at 27.75@28.00. The London market for copper was unchanged at £61 2s 6d for spot, and at £61 15s for futures. Locally, the market was dull, with lake quoted at 13.62½@13.87½; electrolytic at 13.50@13.77; and casting at 13.25@13.50. There was a decline of 1s 3d to £14 10s 9d in the London market for lead, but locally that metal was unchanged at 3.70@3.75. Spelter was unchanged at £20 10s in London, and at 4.50@4.55 locally. Iron locally was quiet and unchanged.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High-est.	Low-est.	Closing bid.
Adams Express	.....	.....	.....	160@180
Amalgamated Copper	22,500	52¼	51¼	51¾
Am. Car & Foundry	1,000	31¼	30	30¾
Am. C. & F. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	89
American Cotton Oil	700	32¾	32½	32¼
Am. Cotton Oil pfd.	.....	.....	.....	80@85
American Express	100	190	190	180@190
Am. Hide & L. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	14¼
American Ice	400	17½	17¼	17¾
American Linseed Oil	.....	.....	.....	7¼
Am. Linseed Oil pfd.	.....	.....	.....	18½@20
American Locomotive	400	38	37¾	37¾
Am. Locomotive pfd.	500	91	90½	90
Am. Smelting & Ref.	21,700	68¼	67¼	67¾
Am. S. & R. pfd.	300	91½	91½	91¼
Am. Sugar Refining	600	114¼	113¾	114¼
Am. Tobacco, pfd. cer.	.....	.....	.....	80@..
Anaconda Mining Co.	1,500	33¼	33	33¼
Atchison	5,100	72¼	71½	72¼
Atchison pfd.	100	87½	87½	87
Atlantic Coast Line	.....	.....	.....	68½@74
**Baltimore & Ohio	1,100	84	83¼	84
B. & O. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	85
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	3,500	47	46	46½
Canadian Pacific	500	151¼	150¼	150½
Central of New Jersey	200	170	170	169
Chesapeake & Ohio	200	29¾	29½	29½
Chicago Great Western	1,900	5	4¾	4¾
Chicago & N. W.	100	146	146	146
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	4,500	113¾	112½	113½
Chicago Ter. & Trans.	.....	.....	.....	*3
Chicago T. & T. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	10@15
C., C., C. & St. Louis	700	52	51½	51
Colorado Fuel & Iron	500	20	19¾	19¾
Colorado & Southern	500	25¼	25¼	24¾
Colo. & So. 1st pfd.	100	52¼	52¼	52
Colo. & So. 2nd pfd.	300	42¾	42½	42
Consolidated Gas	.....	.....	.....	99¼
Corn Products	.....	.....	.....	13½
Corn Products pfd.	400	64	63½	63
Delaware & Hudson	1,600	153	150¾	153
Del., Lack. & Western	.....	.....	.....	460@500
Denver & Rio Grande	200	20¾	20¾	20
D. & R. G. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	55@60
Distillers' Securities	.....	.....	.....	32¼
Erie	300	15¾	15¾	15¾
Erie 1st pfd.	.....	.....	.....	27¾
Erie 2nd pfd.	.....	.....	.....	21
General Electric	200	120	120	119¾
**Illinois Central	.....	.....	.....	127
International Paper	.....	.....	.....	10½
Int'l Paper pfd.	400	61¼	61	60
International Pump	500	19¼	18¾	18¾
Int'l Pump pfd.	.....	.....	.....	67½
Iowa Central	500	12	12	11¾
Iowa Central pfd.	300	29¾	29½	29
Kansas City Southern	300	22¾	22¾	22
K. C. Southern pfd.	.....	.....	.....	50½
Louisville & Nashville	.....	.....	.....	97@100
Mexican Central	400	19¼	18¾	19¾
Minn. & St. Louis	400	24¾	24½	24
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M.	300	94¼	92½	93¾
Minn., St. Paul pfd.	.....	.....	.....	120@130
Missouri Pacific	400	43¾	43¾	43¾
Missouri, Kan. & Texas	.....	.....	.....	23
M., K. & T. pfd.	500	55¼	55	54¾
National Lead	100	39¼	39¼	39½
Nat'l Ry. of Mex. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	47½
New York Central	2,900	97¼	96½	96¾
N. Y., Ontario & W.	100	33¾	33¾	33
Norfolk & Western	.....	.....	.....	66
N. & W. pfd.	100	80	80	79
North American	200	45¼	45¼	43
Pacific Mail	100	27¾	27¾	27¾
Pennsylvania	33,900	113¾	112¼	112¾
People's Gas	200	85	85	85
P., C., C. & St. Louis	.....	.....	.....	65@70
Pressed Steel Car	.....	.....	.....	20½
Pressed Steel Car pfd.	.....	.....	.....	77
Pullman Palace Car	.....	.....	.....	152@156
Reading	11,900	103¾	102½	103
Reading 1st pfd.	.....	.....	.....	81@88
Reading 2nd pfd.	.....	.....	.....	73½
Republic Steel	200	16¼	16¼	16¼
Republic Steel pfd.	100	68¼	68¼	68¼
Rock Island Co.	200	13¾	13¾	13¾
Rock Island Co. pfd.	2,900	27¾	26¾	26¾
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd.	.....	.....	.....	22¼
St. Louis, S. W.	.....	.....	.....	14¼
St. Louis, S. W. pfd.	200	32¾	32	32¾
Southern Pacific	2,300	74¼	73¾	74¼
Southern Pacific pfd.	100	111¼	111¼	111¼
Southern Railway	700	11	10¾	11
Southern Railway pfd.	100	33¼	33¼	33¼
Texas & Pacific	100	19¼	19¼	19¼
Toledo, St. L. & W.	.....	.....	.....	14¼
T., St. L. & W. pfd.	100	34	34	33½
Union Pacific	29,400	123¾	122¼	122¾
Union Pacific pfd.	.....	.....	.....	83
United States Express	.....	.....	.....	80@90
United States Realty	.....	.....	.....	38
United States Rubber	100	22	22	22
U. S. Rubber pfd.	.....	.....	.....	81¼
United States Steel	3,700	28	28	28¼
U. S. Steel pfd.	4,900	92¾	92¾	92¾
Va. Carolina Chemical	.....	.....	.....	17¼
Va. Carolina Chem. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	80@95
Wabash	1,900	9¾	9¾	9¾
Wabash pfd.	900	15¾	15	15
Wells-Fargo Express	.....	.....	.....	250@270
Westinghouse Electric	100	43½	43¼	44¼
Western Union	700	55	54¾	54½
Wheeling & Lake Erie	.....	.....	.....	5¾
Wisconsin Central	.....	.....	.....	14
Wisconsin Central pfd.	.....	.....	.....	30@40
Northern Pacific	11,400	126¾	125¾	125¾
Central Leather	.....	.....	.....	19¾
Central Leather pfd.	.....	.....	.....	82
Sloss Sheffield	.....	.....	.....	39¾
Great Northern pfd.	2,000	122	120¾	121¾
Inter-Metropolitan	900	8¾	8¾	8¾
Inter-Metro. pfd.	700	23¾	22¾	22¾

Total sales for day....259,000.

*Offered. **Ex-dividend.

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Money on call easy, 1 3-4@2 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 per cent.; closing bid, 1 per cent.; offered at 1 per cent. Time loans, somewhat strong; sixty days, 4 per cent., and 90 days, 4½ per cent.; six months, 4½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5½@6 per cent.; sterling exchange easie, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.87 @4.87 1-20 for demand and at 4.83 4-5@4.87 12-20 for sixty-day bills. Commercial bills, 4.85 5-8. Bar silver, 55 1-4. Mexican dollars, 44. Government bonds, easy; railroad bonds, irregular.

STATE OF TRADE.

BRADSTREET'S REVIEW.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say: Trade and financial developments have been of a rather irregular character, but on the whole in the direction of future improvement at the larger centers. Conservatism in ordering is noted as a country wide condition, but recent price reductions have unquestionably stimulated interest. The suspension of four banks at the metropolis was, after all, only negatively unfavorable, this being the aftermath of last autumn's financial storm. Underlying financial conditions are certainly no less favorable; money shows increasing ease, not only in this country, but all over the world, and improvement in collections, which are still slow, as a whole, is in many cases, the result of easing money, making it possible to remit on past due accounts. The week's failures total is the smallest for a month past. Lower prices for builders' hardware are reported to have stimulated some inquiry, and there is talk of possible cutting plumber prices, which is not, however, likely to prove permanent with any particular expansion in activity in the spring. The cancellation of orders is still a disturbing question in some lines, but there seems this week to be rather more reports of reinstatement of orders previously rejected. There are widespread reports of large numbers of unemployed in all sections of the country and some southern reports point to a return by idle city labor to the farms. Business failures in the United States for the week ending Jan. 30, number 350, against 408 last week. Wheat, including flour, exports from the United States and Canada for the week ending Jan. 30, aggregated 4,328,295 bushels, against 2,102,261 bushels this week last year.

Dun's Weekly Review.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade tomorrow will say: Seasonal weather and a further increase in the percentage of active machinery combined to improve the trade situation, although there is still a large number of unemployed and dealers proceed cautiously in preparing for future business. Prices of commodities have declined on the whole, yet products of the leading industries are fairly well maintained. Mercantile collections are irregular, despite the ease in the money market. More iron and steel plants have resumed and the outlook is brighter, every equipment attracting more attention. The situation is better because of the extent to which dealers seek prompt delivery, indicating the recent season of conservatism has nearly exhausted stocks, and suggest that when confidence is fully restored a vast tonnage of deferred business will be placed.

Bank Clearings.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31. — Bradstreet's Bank Clearings Report for the week ended January 30 shows an aggregate of $2,297,413,000, as against $2,717,775,000 last week and $2,954,744,000 in the corresponding week last year. Canadian clearings for the week total $65,259,000, as against $75,495,000 last week and $70,124,000 in the same week last year. The following is a list of the principal cities:

	Amount.	Per ct. Inc.	Per ct. Dec.
New York	$1,344,384,000	....	26.0
Chicago	214,358,000	....	6.2
Boston	131,620,000	....	15.6
Philadelphia	104,347,000	....	68.5
St. Louis	57,107,000	....	1.3
Pittsburgh	44,781,000	....	18.3
San Francisco	33,315,000	....	28.4
Baltimore	24,220,000	....	17.1
Kansas City	23,650,000	25.0	....
Cincinnati	24,098,000	....	10.5
New Orleans	16,140,000	....	20.8
Minneapolis	18,661,000	21.3	....
Cleveland	14,459,000	....	30.7
Detroit	11,223,000	....	5.5
Louisville	11,123,000	....	7.0
LOS ANGELES	7,556,000	....	36.7
Omaha	10,986,000	10.9	....
Milwaukee	10,454,000	....	5.5
Seattle	6,212,000	....	27.3
Denver	7,640,000	....	2.6
Washington	4,967,000	....	27.4
Salt Lake City	3,712,000	....	27.3
Portland, Or.	4,455,000	....	5.5
Spokane, Wash.	4,180,000	....	8.0
Tacoma	3,344,000	....	18.1

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Fruit—Fancy apples, 2.00; common, 60.

Pears—Fancy, 2.25.

Oranges—Navels, 1.25@2.25; seedlings, 75@1.50; Mexican limes, 2.00@4.00.

Lemons—Common California, 75@1.25; good to choice, 1.50@1.75; fancy, 2.00@2.50.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, 75@3.00; pineapples, 1.50@3.50; Persian dates, 6.

Beans—Pink, 3.10@3.25; lima, 4.65@4.85; small white, 3.40@3.55; large white, 3.20@3.45.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 90@1.10; Salinas Burbanks, 1.00@1.25; Merced Sweets, 2.25@2.50.

Onions—Fancy, 2.75@3.00.

Various—Green peas, 8@9; string beans, 12½@..; eggplant, 6@10; green peppers, 5@20; tomatoes, 1.00@2.50; summer squash, nominal; garlic, 4@5.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 28½; seconds, 25; fancy dairy, 22.

Cheese—New, 13½@14; eastern, 17½; Young America, 14@14½.

Eggs—Ranch, 21½; store, 21; eastern, 15.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 15@16; dressed turkeys, 15@20; roosters, old, 4.00@4.50; roosters, young, 5.00@7.00; broilers, small 3.50@4.00, broilers, large, 4.50@5.00; fryers, 5.50@6.00; hens, 4.00@6.00; ducks, old, 4.00@5.00; ducks, young, 5.00@7.00; geese, 2.00@2.50; pigeons, old, 1.00; pigeons, young, 2.00@3.50.

Flour—Family extras, 5.40@6.00; bakers' extras, 5.40@5.65; Oregon and Washington, 4.75@5.25.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.55@1.60; milling, 1.67½@1.72½.

Barley—Feed, 1.37½@1.42½; brewing, 1.50@1.57½; Chevalier, nominal.

Oats—Red, 1.85@2.00; white, 1.50@1.65; black, 2.85@3.00.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 32.00@35.00; rolled barley, 33.50@34.50; oatmeal, 4.30; oat groats, 4.30; rolled oats, 40.00.

Hay—Wheat, 10.00@16.00; wheat and oat, 10.00@15.50; oat, wild, 9.00@11.00; oat, tame, 10.00@14.00; alfalfa, 9.00@14.00; straw, 60@90.

Receipts—Flour, 3400; wheat, 925; barley, 1365; oats, 1790; beans, 376; corn, 625; potatoes, 4610; onions, 635; bran, 370; middlings, 165; hay, 387; hides, 177; wine, 72,800.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Wheat, weak; no trading; cash, 1.55@1.60. Barley, quiet, weaker; May, 1.38½; December, 1.32½; cash, 1.37½@1.42½. Corn, dull, unchanged; large yellow, 1.70@1.75. Afternoon session: Wheat, weak; no trading. Barley, weaker; May, 1.38 asked; 1.35 bid; December, 1.17½.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 31.—Silver bars, 55¼. Mexican dollars, 53½; drafts, sight, 5; drafts, telegraph, 7½.

JANUARY BANK CLEARINGS.

Local bank clearings for the month, ended yesterday, totaled $38,183,965.98. This is far larger than either of the two months ending 1907. The gain over December is $3,654,767.00 and the advance over the total for November is $607,425.00. Since the first of the year there has been a gradual improvement in the volume of Los Angeles bank clearings.

REAL ESTATE RECORD.

RECENT TRANSFERS.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 31, 1908.

J Plato to A McCall, lot 108, Rufus J Stukey tract, $10.

M C Masterson to S M Smith, lots 1 2 3 4 17 18 20 21 22 23 and 24 of S ½ of Sec 32 T 2 S R 14 W, $10.

L A Investment Co to E E Akers, part lots 10 and 9, block 2, Lienaus Cottage Home tract, $10.

Ella F Gifford to G H Wilmot, lot 16, Main st Cottage Place, $10.

Matilda Larson to O N Wilcox, lot 10, block 7, Gills sub, $10.

J H Spires to G Kendall, lot 10, block 48 1st add to Hermosa Beach, $10.

W B Ray to W P Mills, lot 19, block F, Monrovia, $400.

L D Oliver S L Roll and Victoria Roll to G H Rector, lot 4, block 10, Kinney Hgts tract, $10.

D T Althouse to B F Lewis, part lot 3, block 2, W G Nevin tract, $10.

B F Lewis to D T Althouse, lots 7 and 8, block 7, Highland View tract, $10.

E G Luentzel and M Stepan to L H Dowdy, lot beg at point said point being NE cor of lot 10, Edgecliff tract, th N 0 deg 11 min 30 sec W 10 ft th N 55 deg 30 min 30 sec W 37 ft etc, $10.

Helma Peterson to Anna K V Spring, part lot 16, block K, Dayton Hgts tract, lot 17, block K, same tract, $10.

Mrs E H Terry to A G Rhodes, lots 133 134 135 and 136, Elcoat tract, $10.

Mabel M Beeson to Evelyn B Miller, lot 15, block 6, Marathon tract, part lots 18 20 and 22, block 6, Marathon tract, $10.

S Watson to Mary B Watson, lots 10 and 11, C W Davis sug of art lot 1, block 58 H S, $10.

C B Lemon to Dow Real Estate Co, lots 362 and 363, Central ave Home tract No 2, $10.

Bonnie A Vaughan to E P Wood, lot 47, block K, Knob Hill tract, $10.

C A Curl to H G Newton, part block B, Painter & Ball add, $10.

Pearl D Hall to Amy A Franklin, lots 1 2 4 and 5, Buck tract, $10.

P S Sherwood to Ruby E Erickson, lot 3, block 4 2d add to Huntington Park, $10.

H E Williams to E B Angell, lot beg at NW cor of Ragans land and NE cor of Whites land on Co road th on bet Ragan on E and White on W S 6 deg 15 min W 28.55 chs to old stake (SW cor of lot 2) th S 82 deg 45 min E 5.26 chs etc, $10.

F D Orebaugh to E J BGartley Jr, lots 299 and 300, Elcoat tract, $200.

Redondo Imp Co to H Phillips, lot 3, block 90, Redondo Beach, $10.

Beck-Seely Lumber Co to Sou Cal Lumber Co, lots 28 30 and 31, Clifton tract, $10.

Same to same, part lots 4 and 3, G W Hayes resub of lots 20 21 22 23 25 26 27 and 28, block O, Painter and Balls add to Pasadena, $10.

Same to same, lot 24, Jennie Watts tract, $10.

American Sav Bk to Augusta Anderson, lot 13, Kensington Place, $10.

Mrs Julia M Ruth to T Ruth, lot 4, block 88, Pomona, $5.

G W Goode to Mary V Garrison, lots 1 and 2, Summers resub of block 106, Pomona, $4500.

R J Soper to Avis A Heitman, lot 12, I X L tract, $10.

Mary V Garrison to G W Goode, lot 19, block 8, Charles Victor Hall tract, $10.

Clara L Meyers to I D Weaver, lot 7, Crane tract, $10.

Ione Lamb to G E Bergen, lot 4, Coleman tract, $10.

Ida M Buffum to Louise A Heim, lot 2, block 56, Alamitos Beach townsite, $10.

R G Preshaw to Louise A Heim, lot 7, Gabriel tract, $10.

F W Stearns Ida M Stearns F Pingree Maggie E Pingree F McCutchen Lelia McCutchen and J E Dunbar to G Dreger, lot 31 N ½ of Roosevelt tract, $10.

P E Hatch to Mrs C A Daniels, lots 4 and 5, block 1, lot 21, block 1, Palm Place tract, $10.

Same to I C Fairly, lot 20, block 1, Palm Place tract at Covina, $10.

George H Casey to J H Basker, lots 26 and 27, block 2, Montana tract, $650.

Merchants Trust Co to K Olin, lots 30 and 32, block 6, Belle Bernon Acres, $10.

G S Wright to L Stumpf, lot 9, block A, Wright & Callenders Wrightlands tract, $10.

Eva May Duckworth to N B Evans, agreement to convey lot 3, Cribb & List tract, $750.

N B Evans to E J Clark, asst of all int in above.

G H Peck to L A Securities Co, lots 1 and 2, block 61, lot 9, block 79, Redondo Villa tract B, $240.

Same to same, lots 23 and 24, block 109, lot 3, block 94, lots 22 and 23, block 89, same tract, $10.

L A Securities Co to Mrs L A Covey, lot 14, block 6, Redondo Villa tract B, $90.

Strawberry Park Land Co to Katherine E Richardson, lot 50, replat of blocks D and E, Strawberry Park tract, $10.

W J Shrode to P B Morrell, lots 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 and lot A, Morrell tract, $1.

F A Powell to L C Broadbridge, lot 15, block A, Riggins Brothers subdivision of part of Grogan tract, $10.

W L Lippincott to B M Muzzey, lot 13, block 2, R J B Rivero, subdivision of lots 4 and 5, block G, lands of Mutual Orchard Co, $10.

Fanny E Light to H G Peck, lot 27, East Colorado tract, $10.

C Rasmussen to P L Parmele, lot 7, Golden Poppy tract, $10.

Mary Becker to W F Weber and J S McLain, part lot 48, McDonald tract, $10.

N Wilson to J W Broomhall, lot 286, Burke Bros addition No 2, to Figueroa Street subdivision, $10.

C H Vickers to Johanna Callahan, Nora Callahan and Hannah Callahan, lot 8, Greens Figueroa Street tract, $10.

Parthenia F Harrison to Hattie W Strang, lot 117, Hopper & Sons Western Avenue tract, $10.

Frank J Hillebrand to L B Jones, lots 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10 and 11, Junipero tract, $10.

American Savings Bank to Martha D Pickett, lot 18, Shafer & Lantermans tract, $10.

M D Pickett to J W Whittington, part lot 5, block L, Santa Anita Land Cos tract, $10.

W C Collins to W B Byram, part section 7, township 4 south, range 11 west, $10.

W B Byram to W C Collins, lot 28, block C, City Boundary tract, $10.

S S Dickinson to Fannie Rooney, lot 44, Alhambra Road tract, $10.

R L Phister to Elvin J Curry, lot 66, Pioneer Investment & Trust Cos Cresta del Arroyo tract; lot 1, block 2, Schmitt tract, $10.

J Dick to Florence S Coard, lot 1, Hartford Villa tract, $10.

Charlotte O'Neal to Annie T Eagon, part lot 14, Buchanan & O'Neils subdivision of south 20 acres of block J, Painter & Balls addition to Pasadena, $10.

A B Boswell to Hardy Smith, lot 13, Ocean Park Place, $10.

Clara L Schenck to G W Van Auken, lot 27, block 2, Daly Street tract, $10.

W E Priselle, administrator of estate of Ole Erickson, deceased, to F W Wunderlich, lot 27, block D, McCarthy Cos Main Street, Moneta Avenue and Figueroa Street tract, $550.

Los Angeles Securities Co to Mrs Johanna Gutendorf, lots 13 and 14, block 8; lot 25, block 256, Redondo Villa tract, $270.

Carrie Pruden to T Knoll, lot 15, block 4, John B Niles subdivision of Vernondale, $300.

Elizabeth C Fostier to O S Higgins, undivided ½ interest in lot 10, block 20, Chas Victor Hall tract, $2000.

L D Loomis and S Cole to Ferdinand Goetsch, part lots 21 and 23, block 54, Artesian tract, $10.

Los Angeles Securities Co to Mrs J Fred Nottbusch, lot 11, block 3; lots 17 and 18, block 91; lots 1 and 2, block 57, Redondo Villa tract, $450.

Union Trust & Realty Co to Albertina Wardwell, agreement to convey lot 140, Strong & Dickinsons Figueroa Street tract, $650.

Title Insurance & Trust Co to Fannie S Sullivan, lot 216, Hollywood Park Place, $10.

Corinna C Walker and Eunice P Crosby to F E Walker, agreement to convey part section 26, township 4 north, range 15 west, $1200.

R F Jones to Ilena Mills, lot 29, block 5, Tract No 27, $10.

M P Gilbert to J Schultz, part lot 64, all lot 65, and part lot 66, Wellington Place, $10.

Hawthorne Improvement Co to Alvah B Smith, lots 92 and 94, First addition to Hawthorne, $250.

Dr A D Bedford to J A Bunn, part lot 29, Parkdale tract, $10.

C A Erickson to A Misch, lot 25, W M Hiatts East Colorado Street tract, $10.

S G Smith to A Misch, lot 6, Colorado Home tract in Rancho Santa Anita, $10.

C D Watson to J F Horsley, lot 7, block B, La Vista Grande tract, $10.

J F Hosley to Emma G Hall, part lot 7, block B, Vista Grande tract, $10.

Western California Land Co to F C Worrell, lot 45, Jackins Arlington Heights tract, $10.

E D Silent, trustee, to W T Elliott, lot 1, Euclid Crest, $10.

Title Insurance & Trust Co to Gertrude A Peak, lot 12, block 3, Jefferson and Fourth Avenue tract, $10.

C E Espey to Ollie M Comparet, lots 10 and 12, block E, Rose Park tract No 1, $10.

Flora F Berg to I H Jacobson, lot 21, West Adams and Western Avenue tract, $10.

Mrs Mary C Dodge to Alice R Rodgers, Mary E Dodge and L G Dodge, lot 18, block 19, Los Angeles Improvement Cos subdivision of parts of lots 2, 3, 7 and 8, block 39, Hancocks Survey, $10.

Los Angeles Securities Co to Micheline De Pierro, lot 19, block 90, Redondo Villa tract, $90.

J J Harshman to R V Harshman, lot 4, High School tract in Compton, $10.

Marie D Fuller to Delia B Rawson, lot 4, block H, South Bonnie Brae tract, $10.

W Wright to O B Smith, lot 18, subdivision of block 19, O S, $10.

L D Oliver to M Ariotto, agreement to convey lot 42, South Arlington Street tract, $450.

F J Karten to Stella F Karten, part lot 5, Brokaw tract, $10.

American Savings Bank to W P Whitney, lot 15, block 7, Thorthorwald tract, No 1, $10.

Mary Green to J R Ellis, part lot 4, block B, Wotkyns & Martins, $1.

Los Angeles Trust Company to Emma Grass, lot 8, block E, Westminster Place, $10.

E B Pierce to C Lantz, lot 16, Lewis Figueroa Street tract, $10.

K Cohn to Adelaide Cross, lot 217, Montebello, $200.

Bertha M Dailey to C J Wade, lot 5, block A, Strong & Dickinson's South Park tract, $10.

Elizabeth Dawson to W R Myers and E C Kulli, lot 13, Myers & Kulli's Annandale Heights tract, $2.

I F Dillman to Matilda A Zimmerman, lot 13, block B, McCarthy Company's Main and Moneta Avenue tract, $10.

W C Wells to Mary M Burgess, lot 16, block D, McCarthy Company's Moneta Avenue and Figueroa Street tract, No 2, $10.

W Usrey to Mrs Harriet Bell, lot 20, block 100, Redondo Beach, $10.

J Tillotson to Bertha S Towne, lot 3, block 15, West Adams Heights, $10.

G L Louden to W S Taylor, undivided ¼ interest in lot 1, block 3, California Cooperative Colony tract, $10.

J A Woodward to G F Woodward, undivided ½ interest in lots 1 and 2, Bassett, Smith & Woodruff's resubdivision of lots 9, 10 and 11, Hughes tract; also portion of private drive, private walk and private court, $10.

S Brummel to J W Miller, lot 6, block B, Ascot Place, $10.

Merchants' Trust Company to Rose Carnes, lot 91, Peckham Moneta Avenue Square, No 2, $10.

C S Hutchison to Mrs Rosina Siely, lots 11 and 12, block 48, Fifth Street Store tract, $10.

Mary B Scott to J J Baker, lot 10, Strong & Dickinson's S P Shops tract, $10.

Carrie Copley to Margaret S Wilkinson, lot 7, block 1, Tutt tract, $10.

J A Crook to H D Dillon, lot 3, Harris & Dillon tract, $10.

H P Ernst to Prescilla Ada Guffey, lot B, Rueger tract, $10.

R D Lusted to W C Lawrence, agreement to convey lot 22, Alta Vista tract, $800.

BIG LAND MEETING

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THE NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE, N. E. Cor. Sixth and Spring Sts.	F. M. Douglas, Pres. Chas. Ewing, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000; Surplus and profits ... $25,000
FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK, Cor. Fourth and Main.	I. W. Hellman, Pres. Chas. Seyler, Cashier.	Capital .. $1,500,000; Surplus and profits . $1,700,000
FIRST NATIONAL BANK, S. E. Cor. Second and Spring.	J. M. Elliott, Pres. W. T. S. Hammond, Cashier.	Capital .. $1,250,000; Surplus and profits .. $1,450,000
MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK, N. E. Cor. Second and Main.	W. H. Holliday, Pres. Marco H. Hellman, Cashier.	Capital ... $200,000; Surplus and profits .. $470,000
AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK, S. W. Cor. Second and Broadway.	W. F. Botsford, Pres. Wm. W. Woods, Cashier.	Capital .. $1,000,000; Surplus and profits .. $175,000
NATIONAL BANK OF CALIFORNIA, N. E. Cor. Fourth and Spring.	J. E. Fishburn, Pres. G. W. Fishburn, Cash'r.	Capital ... $500,000; Surplus and profits .. $120,000
CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK, Fourth and Broadway.	George Mason, Pres. J. B. Gist, Cashier.	Capital ... $300,000; Surplus and profits .. $200,000
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Last Day Half-Yearly Cleanup Sale

Hamburger's SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

Special Announcement!

We will soon advertise the greatest silk sale ever known in California. Hamburger's silk buyer was the only one from Los Angeles who recently attended the auction sale of Silks in New York of Greeff & Co.'s famous "Phoenix" brand of silks. Our purchases amounted to two carloads and they will soon arrive. WAIT!

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The price named is less than the actual cost of the materials if purchased by the yard; all colors in the assortment; some are plain, while others are of fancy cloth; every garment perfectly tailored and well finished; Saturday only. —Second Floor.

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Mother Hubbard style, in assorted patterns; button in the back, and cover the entire figure.

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19c

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Short, plain style; we have also included in this lot at this price black sateen aprons, suitable for wear in stores and offices; round shapes finished with ruffles.

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Fifty hats for Saturday's sale at less than the actual cost of the trimmings alone; included are the season's most popular and becoming shapes; all good colors, black included; trimmed with silk velvet, taffeta and ribbons; also fancy effects and wings; not one hat in the lot that is worth less than $5.

$1.25 Knit Shawls 69c

200 pretty hand knit head shawls; full 32 inches square; made of fine German zephyr yarns in white, black, colors and combination shades.

35c for Genuine Horse Hide Razor Strops

A 15c Box "Razorine" Free With Each Purchase. We made this offer for the purpose of introducing "Razorine," a preparation that when applied to the strop will give a keen smooth edge to the razor almost immediately.

$2 Bags and Purses 50c

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$1.25 Bear Skin Muffs 69c

Pretty little muffs for the children of an excellent quality bear skin priced at but a little more than half the regular value.

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Real maco yarns of a superior quality; have high spliced heels and toes, double soles; full length and very elastic; every pair guaranteed or money refunded!

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Black cotton with double knees, soles, heels and toes; "Black Agate" dye; very elastic and extra long.

25c for Children's Underwear Worth 35c

Jersey ribbed vests and pants in gray and ecru; vests have high neck and long sleeves; ankle pants to button on side; also drawers for boys; all nicely fleeced.

35c for Women's Fleeced Underwear Worth 50c

Vests in high neck and long sleeve style, with ankle pants, with French bands to match; also union suits, same style, button in front.

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ASSASSINATION.

IN HIS JEALOUSY HUSBAND KILLS.

ITALIAN AVENGES A FANCIED INSULT TO HIS WIFE.

Slays One Admirer and Shoots at Another Before He Is Overpowered. Tragedy Follows Coming to Los Angeles of Pretty Girl Bride—Coroner's Inquest Today.

To avenge a fancied insult to his wife, Constantinko Boresci yesterday morning shot to death Emilia d'Eramo, an employé of the United Casting Company. He was captured after a desperate struggle with J. E. Mahoney and J. A. Fuchs, who leaped upon him, wrested the revolver from his hand, and bound him with ropes.

Boresci is 34 years old and a good-looking man. He married a beautiful little Italian girl some years his junior and brought her to Los Angeles. She became the belle of the Italian colony. Admirers loitered about her house when her husband was away, hoping for a glance from her sparkling black eyes or for a word of encouragement.

Boresci's friends informed him that d'Eramo, young and handsome, was spending too much time near the Boresci home and that Michaelo Moranda, 17 years of age, was also too devoted to the young wife.

The husband took his bride to Italy. Then he returned alone. A mad desire for revenge inflamed him. He felt he must wipe out the supposed stain that had fallen upon his name.

When he arrived in Los Angeles Thursday night, his friends received him and told him that d'Eramo was working for the United Casting Company, at Wilson and Violet streets, and that Moranda was also there.

Early yesterday morning Boresci went to the works and found the men working side by side. He approached the foreman and asked for work, but was told there was none for him.

He turned, walked swiftly toward d'Eramo and Moranda, and opened fire. The first shot, according to witnesses, was at Moranda, who dropped to the ground, feigning death, though unwounded.

Then Boresci leveled his revolver at d'Eramo, who faced him calmly. Three times the husband pulled the trigger and d'Eramo dropped to his knees and fell forward on his face. He was dead.

Mahoney and Fuchs seized the murderer and some one telephoned for the police. An inquest will be held today.

NAIROBI, England's new city of tin, on East Africa's plateau, will be the subject of Frank G. Carpenter's letter in The Times Magazine of the coming Sunday.

FABULOUS.

FINE SHOWING BY UNION OIL.

LAST YEAR'S EARNINGS MORE THAN TWO MILLIONS.

Profits Double Those of Preceding Twelve Months—Tremendous Prosperity of Company Attributed to the "Lord's Blessing"—Some Stunning Figures.

The Union Oil Company of California, which occupies the same position to the West that the Standard Oil Company fills in the East, has just issued its annual report for the year 1907, showing the enormous growth of the industry with which it is allied. The report says that "notwithstanding delays in securing the use of several of its largest tank steamers, and the unsatisfactory financial conditions prevailing throughout the entire country, we are pleased to report that, through the Lord's continued blessing, the business of your company has been very encouraging."

No matter where the exact credit lies, the company appears to have ample excuse for self-congratulation. The net earnings for the first half of the year, to June 30, 1907, were $566,253.75, while the second half, to December 31, 1907, covering the period of greatest financial depression in many years, shows a profit of $1,514,519.19, or a monthly net average of $252,419.70. Total earnings for the year are $2,080,-771.94, a rate on outstanding stock at par of 27.6 per cent. Dividends for the year amount to $877,564, while a surplus of no less than $1,203,207.94 has been used for betterment and increase of plant. The largely-increased percentage of net earnings for the last six months of the year was due in part to dividends from auxiliary companies.

The comparative statement of earnings for the past six years makes interesting reading, and shows the tremendous development of one of this State's greatest industries. In 1902 the earnings were $299,048.42; in 1903, $335,-287.46; in 1904, $520,838.62; in 1905, $1,-001,397.11; in 1906, $1,029,478.31, while last year shows an increase of over 100 per cent., with $2,080,771.94. Total dividends for the period are $3,304,-581.62.

Corporations in which Union Oil is interested are as follows: Mission Transportation and Refining Company, practically all; California Industrial Company, one-third; Union Transportation Company, practically all; Mission Transfer Company, practically all; Newlove Oil Company, control contract; Pitcher and Garbutt Oil Company, four-tenths; John Irwin Oil Company, one-half; Old Keystone Oil Company, nine-tenths; Pioneer Pipe Line Company, practically all; Syndicate Oil Company, one-seventh; Western Iron Steel, one-fifth; Union Steamship Company, practically all; United Steamship Company, one-half; Santa Maria Oil and Gas Company, practically all; California Coast Oil Company, one-half; Claremont Oil Company, over one-half; Surf Oil Company, practically all; Los Angeles Oil Company, six-tenths; Union Well Supply Company, practically all, and Union Oil Tool Company, over one-half.

Oil lands and oil rights held by the company total 160,052.02 acres, while 42,614.38 acres more are under lease, and 10,688.29 acres are held as mining claims. The company has sixty-eight producing wells in Santa Barbara county, ninety-four in Ventura, twenty-one in Orange, eight in Fresno, four-teen in Kern, and two in Los Angeles. Pipe-line assets are as follows: One hundred and seven miles of eight-inch line, 79 miles of six-inch, 79 miles of four-inch, 16 miles of three-inch, and 49 miles of two-inch—a total of 330 miles.

The company's steel tankage totals 2,264,000 barrels, while the Caritern reservoir in Kern county swells the total capacity to 2,924,000 barrels. The carrying capacity of the fleet owned by Union amounts to 278,000 barrels, the two largest vessels, the Santa Maria and Santa Rita, each having a capacity of 52,500 barrels.

The distributing stations of the company include Portland, Seattle, Stockton, Oakland, San José, San Francisco, Bakersfield, Tocopilla, Chile, Taltal, Panama and San José de Guatemala.

During the year the increase in acreage has been 13 per cent.; number of feet drilled, 10 per cent.; number of barrels produced, 120 per cent.; value of oil produced, 140 per cent.; number of barrels used in refineries, 253 per cent.; net earnings of refineries, 210 per cent.; miles of pipe line, 14 per cent.; number of barrels piped, 176 per cent., and number of barrels of steel storage, 37½ per cent.

The report says that the company looks for better prices in 1908, and also that owing to exorbitant assessments in the way of franchise tax in the city and county of Los Angeles, amounting to the aggregate to a sum in excess of $30,000, it has been deemed desirable to remove the principal place of business to its Oleum office, in Contra Costa county."

ROW OVER CHICKENS.

Elderly Widower Accused of Threatening Neighbors With Hatchet and Revolver.

Alfred Smith of No. 542 Banning street was arrested yesterday morning on a battery charge, following a neighborhood row, in which he is alleged to have held up several people with a hatchet and revolver.

Smith is an elderly man and a widower. He lives in a little cottage and keeps chickens. The birds caused the trouble. Some one raised the small wire netting between Smith's yard and the neighbors' and the chickens took a walk. Then hostilities began.

Rebecca Gern and Mrs. Fr Schwarts are the complaining wi nesses. They allege that Smith a tacked them when they warned him keep his chickens at home.

MOTHER'S STRANGE CONDUCT.

Resents Efforts of Police to Keep Her Sons from Frequenting Improper Places.

Urged by their mother to enter poo rooms in an effort to sell their papers Nathan Dicker, aged 6 years; Louis Dicker, aged 8 years, and James Dicker aged 13 years, were arrested last night in a billiard hall in the basement of the Citizens' National Bank building. When they were taken into custody by Patrolman Denman, Mrs. Anna Dicker assailed the officer. She attempted to strike him and jerk her sons away from him. The patrol wagon was called and the entire family was taken to the Police Station. The boys were sent to the Detention Home on the charge of frequenting a poolroom.

Mrs. Dicker and her family of new boys were in trouble about six weeks ago. At that time Mrs. Dicker fought with Patrolman Gomash, who attempted to prevent the boys from harassing the patrons in Levy's Café at Third and Main streets. Mrs. Dicker scratched Gomash's face, tore off his star and broke his watch chain. He was compelled to handcuff her in order to take her to the Police Station.

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PORTUGUESE OUTRAGE.

QUEEN TRIES IN VAIN TO SAVE LOVED ONES.

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Monarch's Foolhardiness in Disregarding Warning Costs Him His Life and Heir-Apparent Dies With Him—Younger Prince Wounded in the Arm—Lisbon in a Turmoil—History of King Carlos and Family.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LISBON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Assassins today bereft Portugal of her monarch and his heir on their majesties' return this afternoon from Villa Vicisa.

While driving from the railway station to the palace, and on turning from the Praca do Commercio into the Dua do Arsenal several shots were fired at the open carriage in which King Carlos and Queen Amelie were seated with their two sons. The King and the Crown Prince were wounded and the carriage dashed at full speed into the arsenal. Upon arrival, doctors who were hastily summoned found life extinct in both cases.

Prince Manuel had a bullet wound in his arm. The Queen fainted.

The attack by the assassins was so sudden that none of the King's guards could prevent the murders. Immediately after the regicides had fired, however, the police returned a volley and killed three of them.

The royal family was driving in an open carriage indifferent, it would appear, to the secret intrigues which have been fermenting against the throne. The carriage was being driven along at a moderate pace when it reached the corner of the Praca do Commercio and the Dua do Arsenal.

Just as the vehicle rounded this bend, the armed murderers sprang up. They leaped with a savage yell toward King Carlos, and, when within a few yards, lifted their rifles. Bullets from several pieces pierced the body of His Majesty and of the Crown Prince Louis, and they fell from their seats. Prince Manuel, the younger son, received a flesh wound, but Queen Amelia escaped without a hurt.

The Queen seemed to understand the danger of the situation more than her consort or children. As the assassins raised their guns, Her Majesty stood up and endeavored with motherly intuition to shield the Crown Prince.

Queen Amelia was too late. The young man, who was an easy target for the assassin, plunged forward and fell on his face in the bottom of the coach. The quick movements of the Queen to save her son were unavailing.

The guards clustered around the carriage after they had returned the fire and the hurried efforts to remove the dying ruler and his heir followed.

There were many evidences that the plot to kill Portugal's monarch had been planned to the minutest detail. King Carlos had been warned of his danger, and an extra strong escort was in attendance. The fact that the assassins easily outwitted this company has given rise to rumors of treachery, but no substantiation is obtainable.

King Carlos within twelve hours received information that Premier Franco was to be killed by the revolutionists and that he would be disposed of at the same time. The idea was, so the King was told, to overthrow the monarchy.

LISBON IN UPROAR; AMELIE IS REGENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

LISBON, Feb. 1.—King Carlos of Portugal and the Crown Prince, Louis Phillipe, were assassinated today, and the city is in a state of uproar.

The King's younger son, the infant Manuel, was slightly wounded, but Queen Amelie, who strove to save the Crown Prince's life by throwing herself upon him, was unhurt.

It is understood that Queen Amelie will be regent during the minority of Prince Manuel, who is now in his 19th year.

The double assassination was so sudden the guards could not prevent it. A band of men waiting at the corner of the Prado de Commercio and the Rue de Arsenal suddenly sprang toward the open carriage, in which the royal family were driving to the palace, and, leveling carbines which they had concealed upon them, fired.

The King and Crown Prince, upon whom the attack was directed, were each shot three times, and they lived only long enough to be carried to the Marine Arsenal near by, where they expired.

Almost at the first shot the King fell back on the cushions, dying, and at the same moment the Crown Prince was seen to half rise and then sink back on the seat. Queen Amelie jumped up and threw herself toward the Crown Prince, in an apparent effort to save his life at the cost of her own, but the Prince already had received his death wound.

The police guard fired upon the assassins and killed three of them.

The royal family were returning from Villa Vicosa, where they had been sojourning, and were on their way from the railway station to the palace.

MURDERERS' STRATEGY.

A strong guard was in attendance because of the recent uprising in the city and the discovery of a plot to assassinate Premier France and overthrow the monarchy. But the band of murderers had selected the most advantageous spot for the commission of their crime, for they were concealed from the eyes of the party until the vehicle had come into the Prado de Comercio, a large square. Before any of the guard was aware of what was happening, the assassins leaped to the carriage and instantly a fusillade of shots rang out. In a moment all was terrible confusion, the King and Crown Prince being shot down without the slightest chance to save themselves.

Police guards sprang upon the regicides, the number of whom is somewhat uncertain, and killed three of them and captured three others. Of these, one committed suicide after being placed in prison. It is charged one of the murderers is a Spaniard.

The bodies of the King and Crown Prince were removed from the Marine Arsenal in two closed carriages to the royal palace, the late residence of the King, escorted by mucinipal guards mounted.

An examination of the wounds of the King, who was already dead when he reached the arsenal, showed that three bullets had found their mark. One wound was situated at the nape of the neck, a second in the shoulder and the third, which was the fatal wound, severed the carteid artery.

The Crown Prince, who was still breathing, but who died almost immediately after admission to the arsenal, had suffered three wounds in the head and chest. Two bullets had struck Prince Manuel.

Queen Marie Pia, the mother of King Carlos; the Duke of Oporto, his brother, a number of ministers and court officers hastened at once to the arsenal when the news reached them of the attack upon the royal family.

CITY PANIC-STRICKEN.

The news of the assassination swept through the city like fire through dry grass, and tonight half of the populace is panic-stricken, not knowing where the next blow may fall.

There is the greatest dread for the future of the country, which seems on the verge of being plunged into the awful throes of a revolution with all the attendant horrors and bloodshed. Throughout the city consternation reigns and all the houses and business places are barricaded.

The cold-blooded murder has sent a thrill of horror throughout the country, even among those who have been

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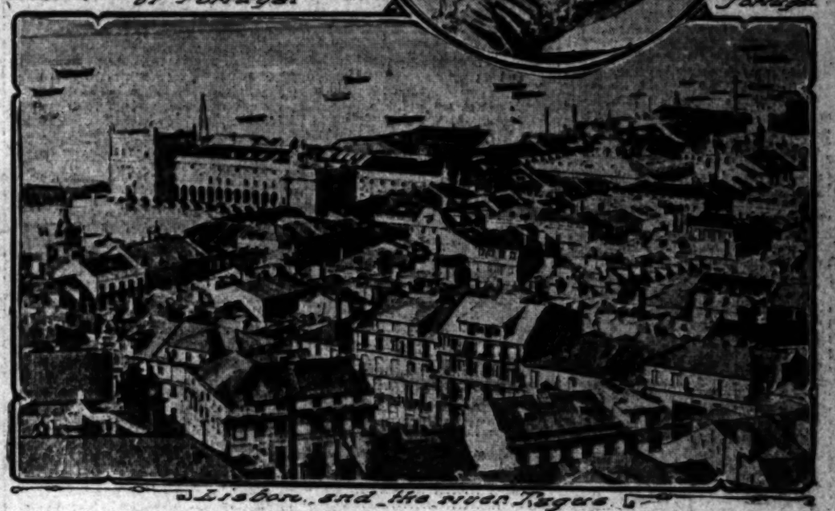
CENTRAL FIGURES AND SCENES IN PORTUGAL'S CRUSHING TRAGEDY.

The late King Carlos of Portugal.

The late Crown Prince of Portugal

Summer residence of the Royal Family of Portugal

Queen Amelie of Portugal



Lisbon and the river Tagus

King Carlos and the Crown Prince (at the top,) who were assassinated; Queen Amelie and the summer palace of the royal family (in the middle;) and a splendid view of the capital city of Lisbon.

ROYALTY SNUBBED.

KING FAILS TO GET INVITATION.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT REFUSES TO RECEIVE LEOPOLD.

Unofficial Intimation Given That Belgian Ruler Would Like to Come to United States, but Suggestion Is Purposely Ignored by the Chief Executive.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] President Roosevelt has refused to extend an invitation to King Leopold of Belgium to visit the United States.

The President's refusal followed an unofficial intimation that the King contemplated coming to this country to observe and meet the American people. No suggestion was advanced that one of his objects was to prevent action by the United States in connection with the amelioration of conditions in the Congo Free State. That this was in the King's mind there is no doubt. Even if he had come, however, it is extremely doubtful if he would have been able to influence the policy of the administration.

The suggestion that the King should come was made in a purely unofficial manner, and it is probable that an attempt will be made to deny officially that it was advanced. Nevertheless, it is true that it was submitted, and President Roosevelt could not see his way clear to extend an invitation to the King to come.

It is also understood that the suggestion was made that President Diaz pay the United States a visit. The President would have liked nothing better. Unfortunately, if an invitation had been given to Diaz, heads of other States would have expected similar courtesy. Therefore the President has decided not to take any action which would lead to foreign rulers coming to this country.

MANY ENTERTAINMENTS PLANNED BY CHILEANS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VALPARAISO (Chile) Feb. 1.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The United States battleship squadron has arrived at Punta Arenas.

Rear-Admiral Evans sent a wireless dispatch as the vanguard reached the port, saying his ships were dispersed when entering the strait on account of the dense fog, which lifted shortly afterward.

Additional entertainments have been prepared in honor of the officers and men of the fleet during their stay at Punta Arenas.

MADHOUSE HIS HOME.

THAW IS ACQUITTED, TAKEN TO ASYLUM.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 1.—Adjudged not guilty of the murder of Stanford White by reason of insanity at the time of the shooting, Harry Kendall Thaw today was held by the court to be a dangerous lunatic, and was whirled away to the State Hospital for the Criminal Insane at Matteawan.

It was a quick transition from the dingy little cell in the Tombs, which had been the young man's home for more than eighteen months, to the white-bedded wards of the big asylum, tucked away on the snow-covered sloping banks of the Hudson River, fifty miles above the city.

The verdict came after twenty-five hours of waiting, and when every one connected with the case had abandoned all hope of an agreement ever being reached in this or any other trial. Four hours after the foreman's lips had framed the words "not guilty," with the accompanying insanity clause, Thaw, protesting he was sane, was on his way to Matteawan. A little after nightfall he had been received in the institution under commitment papers which directed his detention "until discharged by due course of law."

The first thrill of the words of acquittal brought Thaw to his feet in the courtroom, and with that lack of grace of action which has always characterized his movements, he awkwardly, almost haughtily, bowed his acknowledgments to the twelve jurymen, as they were discharged by the court.

REBELLION FOLLOWS PLEASURE.

A smile played about his pallid features, and there was every reason to believe that he was entirely pleased with the outcome. It was after he had heard the words of Justice Dowling committing him to Matteawan on the ground that his release, in the opinion of the court, would endanger the public safety, and after the elation of the verdict had died away, that Thaw rebelled.

He commanded his attorneys immediately to sue out a writ of habeas corpus to have his sanity tested before he was sent away to the up-State institution, where the insane of criminal tendencies were confined.

Mrs. William Thaw, from her hotel, where she had received over the telephone the news of the trial's end, joined in the demand of her son.

Martin W. Littleton, whose conduct of the case as chief counsel for the defense had won so much favorable comment, finally prevailed against the wishes of the mother, indicating to her that he believed that it would be better for her to obey the mandate of the court for the time being.

Justice Dowling, it is said, had been consulted in the matter, had signed his order of commitment and informally had advised Thaw's counsel against making an immediate contest. The prisoner's counsel was not won until after a lively scene with his client and his wife, the latter pleading with him for more than an hour to be content for a time, at least, with what fate had given.

Under promise that some action speedily would be taken looking to the appointment of a commission to inquire into his present sanity, or for his transfer to a private institution, where his wife and other members of his family might reside with him, Thaw consented to go without further protest.

On his way to Matteawan, Thaw dic-

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Last Day Half-Yearly Cleanup Sale

Hamburger's SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

Special Announcement!

We will soon advertise the greatest silk sale ever known in California. Hamburger's silk buyer was the only one from Los Angeles who recently attended the auction sale of Silks in New York of Greeff & Co.'s famous "Phoenix" brand of silks. Our purchases amounted to two carloads and they will soon arrive. WAIT!

Hamburger's SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

$5.00 Box Coats $1.98

ON SALE 8 TO 10 SATURDAY

There is not one coat in this lot but what is worth regularly $5; all sizes, ranging from 34 to 46; are jaunty box coats, made of an excellent quality novelty woolens, in pretty shades of dark brown; some black and covert; two hours Saturday, if they last.

$8.50 and $10 Silk and Net Waists $5

300 handsome garments in nearly every wanted shade of the best taffeta and messaline silks; also dainty waists of laces and net; dozens of different styles elaborately trimmed with the finest lace, insertion and medallions; others strictly tailored models; not a garment in the lot worth less than $8.50, and the most of them are regular $10 values; such bargains will not last long.

$7.50 and $10.00 Silk Petticoats $4.50

Just 75 of them; best quality rustling taffeta in a variety of handsome styles; either fancy or strictly tailored effects; finished with deep flounces and have silk or cotton dust ruffles; Saturday only, while they last.

89c for $1.50 "1908" Lingerie Waists

Fifty dozen white waists; are the new spring styles; made of an excellent quality material, nicely finished and trimmed; regular $1.50 waists, specially underpriced for Saturday only; there are many different styles in the lot; all sizes.

$2.50 for $5, $6 Tailored Dress Skirts

The price named is less than the actual cost of the materials if purchased by the yard; all colors in the assortment; some are plain, while others are of fancy cloth; every garment perfectly tailored and well finished; Saturday only. —Second Floor.

$10.95 for $17.50 New Spring Suits

One Hundred Suits—Saturday While They Last
Correct Shades of "Blue," "Brown" in the New Hip Length "Prince Chap" Man Tailored Models

As an extra special feature for the last day of the half yearly "Clean-up Sale" we are including one hundred handsome new spring suits just received, and at a price that is at least from $7.00 to $10.00 less than you will have to pay for the same thirty days later; these suits are in the latest shades of blue and brown, and made of fine wool serge in fancy herringbone stripes; the latest approved hip length models in Prince Chap style; strictly man tailored and perfectly finished in every way; and is an extraordinary offering, for Saturday only are priced at.....

$10.95

SECOND FLOOR

Girls' Coats Worth to $8.50 at $2.50

Excellent quality woolen materials in a dozen different patterns, including checked and striped designs; light and dark colors, and every garment particularly well finished and nicely trimmed with braids and velvets to match; positively the best values in girls' coats ever offered; just 55 in the lot; also included are children's regular $5.00 bearskin coats in red, gray or white; on sale Saturday only, while they last. —Second Floor.

Girls' $3.50 and $4.50 Dresses at $1.50

Pretty, girlish dresses, made of an excellent quality of henrietta; also fancy materials; every wanted color in the lot; and each one nicely trimmed; every dress in the assortment is a regular $3.50 and $4.50 value, specially priced for this sale at $1.50. Second Floor

Another Great Apron Sale for Saturday Only

All Aprons Made of "Amoskeag" Gingham Under Our Own Personal Direction
Dozen of Styles, Cut Full and Roomy, Prices Less Than You'd Pay for Materials

38c for "Amoskeag" Gingham Aprons

Mother Hubbard style, in assorted patterns; button in the back, and cover the entire figure.

59c for "Amoskeag" Gingham Aprons

Mother Hubbard style, finished with a 4-inch ruffle; button in the back, and cover the entire figure.

19c

For "Amoskeag" Gingham Aprons

Short, plain style; we have also included in this lot at this price black sateen aprons, suitable for wear in stores and offices; round shapes finished with ruffles.

65c for "Amoskeag" Gingham Aprons

Are sleeve style and cover the entire figure, as shown in the illustration; button in the back.

98c for "Amoskeag" Gingham Aprons

These are full length and also sleeve aprons; button in the back, cut full and roomy, and the best apron ever sold at the price. —Second Floor.

Extraordinary "Cleanup" Corsets

Every Pair Properly Fitted by An Expert

$3.50, $5, $7.50 Corsets, Including "La Vida," $1.85

Any number of these corsets are made of the finest French batiste in long hip, high and medium bust models; finished with supporters and nicely embroidered; are regular $3.00 corsets, and every pair guaranteed; we have also included the regular $5 and $7.50 "La Vida" corsets, including a number of the most popular models in either white or black; finished with dainty laces and ribbons; every pair guaranteed and perfectly fitted; these particular corsets are the regular $5 and $7.50 lines sent to us to sell at the price named for demonstration or advertising purposes. SECOND FLOOR.

$5 Trimmed Hats at $1.95

Fifty hats for Saturday's sale at less than the actual cost of the trimmings alone; included are the season's most popular and becoming shapes; all good colors, black included; trimmed with silk velvet, taffeta and ribbons; also fancy effects and wings; not one hat in the lot that is worth less than $5.

$1.25 Knit Shawls 69c

200 pretty hand knit head shawls; full 38 inches square; made of fine German zephyr yarns in white, black, colors and combination shades.

35c for Genuine Horse Hide Razor Strops

A 15c Box "Razorine" Free With Each Purchase. We made this offer for the purpose of introducing "Razorine," a preparation that when applied to the strop will give a keen smooth edge to the razor almost immediately.

$2 Bags and Purses 50c

Priced for a Quick Decisive Cleanup Saturday Only. A big assortment of Carlton bags and hand purses of genuine seal, walrus and pigskin leather nicely lined throughout with soft calf skin or suede leathers; some mounted in sterling silver, all colors and are our regular $1, $1.50 and $2 lines.

Foster's $5 Shoes for Women

These are not broken lines or odd lots, but hundreds of pairs of the finest kid, patent kid and patent colt skin shoes in lace, blucher and button styles; the newest toe shapes, plain or patent tips and hand welt or turned soles, military or Cuban heels. The "Foster" shoes are known the world over for their superior quality and style, and are sold regularly by exclusive shoe houses at $5.

$3.95

$2.95 for 24-inch Kid Gloves worth $4

THE PRICE NAMED IS FOR FOR SATURDAY ONLY.

Black real French kid, mousquetaire style and three clasps at wrist with three rows embroidery stitching; these gloves are full 24 inches in length; come well above the elbow and are made of a superior quality selected kid skins.

$1.25 Bear Skin Muffs 69c

Pretty little muffs for the children of an excellent quality bear skin priced at but a little more than half the regular value.

$1.50 Bear Skin Bonnets 98c

An excellent quality bear skin; are the prettiest and best styles for this season and the price named is a little more than half less than regular. SECOND FLOOR.

15c Hand Made Handkerchiefs 9c

PURE LINEN—CONVENT MADE.

Women's "fine pure linen" hand made handkerchiefs, daintily embroidered or with initial, finished with hemstitched border and hand worked floral designs; convent made, unlaundered; also many that are bleached and laundered.

75c Tuxedo Veilings, Yard 25c

Single or double thread, spider mesh and dotted Tuxedo veiling in all popular colors; new colors and new weaves.

25c for Women's 35c Black Agate Hose

EVERY PAIR GUARANTEED SATISFACTORY OR MONEY REFUNDED

Real maco yarns of a superior quality; have high spliced heels and toes, double soles; full length and very elastic; every pair guaranteed or money refunded!

12½c for Children's French Ribbed Hose Worth 25c

Black cotton with double knees, soles, heels and toes; "Black Agate" dye; very elastic and extra long.

25c for Children's Underwear Worth 35c

Jersey ribbed vests and pants in gray and ecru; vests have high neck and long sleeves; ankle pants to button on side; also drawers for boys; all nicely fleeced.

35c for Women's Fleeced Underwear Worth 50c

Vests in high neck and long sleeve style, with ankle pants, with French bands to match; also union suits, same style, button in front.

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ASSASSINATION.

IN HIS JEALOUSY HUSBAND KILLS.

ITALIAN AVENGES A FANCIED INSULT TO HIS WIFE.

Slays One Admirer and Shoots at Another Before He Is Overpowered. Tragedy Follows Coming to Los Angeles of Pretty Girl Bride—Coroner's Inquest Today.

To avenge a fancied insult to his wife, Constantinio Boresci yesterday morning shot to death Emilia d'Eramo, an employé of the United Casting Company. He was captured after a desperate struggle with J. E. Mahoney and J. A. Fuchs, who leaped upon him, wrested the revolver from his hand, and bound him with ropes.

Boresci is 34 years old and a good-looking man. He married a beautiful little Italian girl some years his junior and brought her to Los Angeles. She became the belle of the Italian colony. Admirers loitered about her home when her husband was away, hoping for a glance from her sparkling black eyes or for a word of encouragement.

Boresci's friends informed him that d'Eramo, young and handsome, was spending too much time near the Boresci home and that Michaelo Moranda, 17 years of age, was also too devoted to the young wife.

The husband took his bride to Italy. Then he returned alone. A mad desire for revenge inflamed him. He felt he must wipe out the supposed stain that had fallen upon his name.

When he arrived in Los Angeles Thursday night, his friends received him and told him that d'Eramo was working for the United Casting Company, at Wilson and Violet streets, and that Moranda was also there.

Early yesterday morning Boresci went to the works and found the men working side by side. He approached the foreman and asked for work, but was told there was none for him.

He turned, walked swiftly toward d'Eramo and Moranda, and opened fire. The first shot, according to witnesses, was at Moranda, who dropped to the ground, feigning death, though unwounded.

Then Boresci leveled his revolver at d'Eramo, who faced him calmly. Three times the husband pulled the trigger and d'Eramo dropped to his knees and fell forward on his face. He was dead.

Mahoney and Fuchs seized the murderer and some one telephoned for the police. An inquest will be held today.

NARROBI, England's new city of tin, on East Africa's plateau, will be the subject of Frank G. Carpenter's letter in The Times Magazine of the coming Sunday.

FABULOUS.

FINE SHOWING BY UNION OIL.

LAST YEAR'S EARNINGS MORE THAN TWO MILLIONS.

Profits Double Those of Preceding Twelve Months—Tremendous Prosperity of Company Attributed to the "Lord's Blessing"—Some Stunning Figures.

The Union Oil Company of California, which occupies the same position to the West that the Standard Oil Company fills in the East, has just issued its annual report for the year 1907, showing the enormous growth of the industry with which it is allied. The report says that "notwithstanding delays in securing the use of several of its largest tank steamers, and the unsatisfactory financial conditions prevailing throughout the entire country, we are pleased to report that, through the Lord's continued blessing, the business of your company has been very encouraging."

No matter where the exact credit lies, the company appears to have ample excuse for self-congratulation. The net earnings for the first half of the year, to June 30, 1907, were $568,253.75, while the second half, to December 31, 1907, covering the period of greatest financial depression in many years, shows a profit of $1,514,518.19, or a monthly net average of $252,419.70. Total earnings for the year are $2,080,-771.94, a rate on outstanding stock at par of 27.6 per cent. Dividends for the year amount to $577,564, while a surplus of no less than $1,203,207.94 has been used for betterment and increase of plant. The largely-increased percentage of net earnings for the last six months of the year was due in part to dividends from auxiliary companies.

The comparative statement of earnings for the past six years makes interesting reading, and shows the tremendous development of one of this State's greatest industries. In 1902 the earnings were $299,048.42; in 1903, $333,-387.46; in 1904, $520,833.62; in 1905, $1,-001,397.11; in 1906, $1,029,478.31, while last year shows an increase of over 100 per cent., with $2,080,771.94. Total dividends for the period are $3,504,-581.62.

Corporations in which Union Oil is interested are as follows: Mission Transportation and Refining Company, practically all; California Industrial Company, one-third; Union Transportation Company, practically all; Mission Transfer Company, practically all; Newlove Oil Company, control contract; Pitcher and Garbutt Oil Company, four-tenths; John Irwin Oil Company, one-half; Old Keystone Oil Company, nine-tenths; Pioneer Pipe Line Company, practically all; Syndicate Oil Company, one-seventh; Western Iron Steel, one-fifth; Union Steamship Company, practically all; United Steamship Company, one-half; Santa Maria Oil and Gas Company, practically all; California Coast Oil Company, one-half; Claremont Oil Company, over one-half; Surf Oil Company, practically all; Los Angeles Oil Company, six-tenths; Union Well Supply Company, practically all, and Union Oil Tool Company, over one-half.

Oil lands and oil rights held by the company total 160,052.02 acres, while 42,614.38 acres more are under lease, and 19,688.29 acres are held as mining claims. The company has sixty-eight producing wells in Santa Barbara county, ninety-four in Ventura, twenty-one in Orange, eight in Fresno, fourteen in Kern, and two in Los Angeles. Pipe-line assets are as follows: One hundred and seven miles of eight-inch line, 79 miles of six-inch, 79 miles of four-inch, 16 miles of three-inch, and 49 miles of two-inch—a total of 330 miles.

The company's steel tankage totals 2,204,000 barrels, while the Caritern reservoir in Kern county swells the total capacity to 2,924,000 barrels. The carrying capacity of the fleet owned by Union amounts to 278,000 barrels, the two largest vessels, the Santa Maria and Santa Rita, each having a capacity of 52,500 barrels.

The distributing stations of the company include Portland, Seattle, Stockton, Oakland, San José, San Francisco, Bakersfield, Tocopilla, Chile, Taltal, Panama and San José de Guatemala.

During the year the increase in acreage has been 13 per cent.; number of feet drilled, 10 per cent.; number of barrels produced, 120 per cent.; value of oil produced, 140 per cent.; number of barrels used in refineries, 253 per cent.; net earnings of refineries, 210 per cent.; miles of pipe line, 14 per cent.; number of barrels piped, 178 per cent., and number of barrels of steel storage, 27¼ per cent.

The report says that the company looks for better prices in 1908, and also that owing to exorbitant assessments in the way of franchise tax in the city and county of Los Angeles, amounting to the aggregate to a sum in excess of $80,000, it has been deemed desirable to remove the principal place of business to its Oleum office, in Contra Costa county."

ROW OVER CHICKENS.

Elderly Widower Accused of Threatening Neighbors With Hatchet and Revolver.

Alfred Smith of No. 542 Banning street was arrested yesterday morning on a battery charge, following a neighborhood row, in which he is alleged to have held up several people with a hatchet and revolver.

Smith is an elderly man and a widower. He lives in a little cottage and keeps chickens. The birds caused the trouble. Some one raised the small wire netting between Smith's yard and the neighbors' and the chickens took a walk. Then hostilities began.

Rebecca Gern and Mrs. Fred Schwarts are the complaining witnesses. They allege that Smith attacked them when they warned him to keep his chickens at home.

MOTHER'S STRANGE CONDUCT.

Resents Efforts of Police to Keep Her Sons from Frequenting Improper Places.

Urged by their mother to enter pool rooms in an effort to sell their papers, Nathan Dicker, aged 6 years; Louis Dicker, aged 8 years, and James Dicker, aged 13 years, were arrested last night in a billiard hall in the basement of the Citizens' National Bank building. When they were taken into custody by Patrolman Denman, Mrs. Anna Dicker assailed the officer. She attempted to strike him and jerk her sons away from him. The patrol wagon was called and the entire family was taken to the Police Station. The boys were sent to the Detention Home on the charge of frequenting a pool room.

Mrs. Dicker and her family of seven boys were in trouble about six weeks ago. At that time Mrs. Dicker fought with Patrolman Gomash, who attempted to prevent the boys from harassing the patrons in Levy's Café at Third and Main streets. Mrs. Dicker scratched Gomash's face, tore off his star and broke his watch chain. He was compelled to handcuff her in order to take her to the Police Station.

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THE WEATHER.

BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Showers; light south wind. For San Francisco and vicinity: Showers; light north wind.

Sunrise, 6:49; sunset, 5:24; moonsets 6:04 p.m.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 62 deg.; minimum, 44 deg. Wind 5 a.m., northeast; velocity, 4 miles; 5 p.m., west; velocity, 10 miles. At midnight the temperature was 49 deg.; cloudy.

TODAY—At 2 a.m. the temperature was 48 deg.; cloudy.

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SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Son of mad man causes scene at San Bernardino by leaping into open grave over lowered coffin....Orange county citrus growers make selling agreement....Stockholders barred from meeting of depositors of suspended Citizens' Savings Bank of Long Beach. Almost 100 tourist arrivals at Pasadena hotels yesterday.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Special session of Nevada Legislature ends with bill giving Goldfield operators to restore old wage scale....Langdon announces charges on which Ruef will be first tried....Gov. Gillett gets report of exclusion of Hindus by whites and is informed that aliens offended women and children....Ingersol case verdict interest....Woman sues Goldfield bank to recover on certified check refused in Denver....Young woman declares college men more religious than others.